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A GLORIOUS DAY

Was Thanksgiving as Observed Here Yesterday.

IT WAS A DAY OF REAL THANKSGIVING:

Account of the Features of the Observance.

Yesterday was one of the most delightful Thanksgiving days enjoyed for many years. The sky was clear and the sun shine with a warmth unusual at this season. The vast number of people who were seen along the streets in carriages, on foot and on bicycles gave evidence of the general enjoyment of the day. In Lowell the sports were few and it is gratifying to note that the observance was marked by no crime, no bad accident, no debauchery. It was really a day of Thanksgiving by all the people.

At the Lowell Jail

The prisoners at the Lowell jail had their turkey yesterday. They did not sit around tables and chat merrily as they ate Thanksgiving dinner. Instead, each prisoner relished turkey in his own little cell. After dinner, the men were allowed the freedom of the yard.

At the City Farm.

Supt. Collins gave his inmates a real old turkey dinner yesterday. All the "fixins" went with the bird. In the afternoon the men were allowed to play hand-ball and foot-ball in the yard.

The Truants Had a Good Time.

Up at the truant school, Supt. Warren saw to it that his charges enjoyed themselves. The little fellows had a fine dinner, and they were allowed to play around at will.

Burkes' Bachellor Party.

The Burkes held a Batchelor party last evening complimentary to members and lady friends. There was an attendance of about 400, and the Columbian orchestra furnished music for dancing, till 12 o'clock. John P. Farley was general manager; assistant, Frank Clarke; floor director, John Coughlin; assistant, Michael Markham; aids Edward Lowney, John Cox, McCarthy, Win; Daly, James Redmond and James McGarrahan.

Their First Was a Success.

The members of the Winchester social club gave their first annual assembly in Kurel's block last evening and thirty or more couples were present. The floor officers were Thomas Clark, floor director; James McHale, assistant, Edward Skee, general manager; Michael Gaffney, assistant, aid, John McHale.

Thanksgiving Y. M. C. A. Dinner.

The annual Thanksgiving dinner for young men away from home was held yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. hall and was a great success. The dinner occurred at 7 o'clock and 200 plates were laid. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Denney. The dinner occupied an hour and at its conclusion Director J. Edward Gibson called to order and remarks were made by Director Flood, Secretary Jones, Physical Director Kable, with music interspersed by the Lyceum orchestra.

The efficient committee of arrangements consisted of Mrs. H. C. Fuller, chairman; Mrs. A. C. Russell, Mrs. O. H. Denney, Mrs. J. E. Gibson, Mrs. T. W. Greenslitt, Mrs. J. W. Coburn, Mrs. W. Gilman and Miss Mattie Battrick.

The young ladies who acted as waiters were Misses Estella Conrad, Lillian McKewin, Gertrude Boothby, May and Laura Cummings, Grace Blodgett, Corinna Cover, Nellie Loring, Helen Bradford, Mary R. Kerr, Josephine Webster, Evelyn Wilson, Cora Hayes, Nellie Morrison, Etta Rutherford, Grace Bachelder and Lilla Sturtevant.

Ippos Played Football.

The Ippos defeated a team from the South common at football yesterday the battle taking place on the Atherton grounds. The final score stood 14 to 0 in favor of the Ippos. The line up was as follows:

IPPOS.		COMMONS.
Meiklejohn	f. b.	Benn
H. Crosby	l. b.	Farley
Shepard	q. b.	Crawford
Hindle	2 b.	Coughlin
Hallowell	l. e.	Daly
Davis	l. t.	Kelley
Hodgman	l. g.	Smith
B. Crosby	c.	Delehanty
Dayton	r. g.	Kelliher
Rhodes	r. t.	Regan
Whittaker	r. e.	Qualey

Touchdowns—Hindle, Shepard; umpire, B. Dixon; goals from touchdowns, Meiklejohn 2; Haestum, Townsend; one safety for the Ippos.

THE FIREMEN'S BALL.

A Most Enjoyable Occasion with a Large Attendance.

The fire ladies were out in all their glory Wednesday night, the occasion being their annual ball in aid of the firemen's fund, held in Huntington hall.

Fortunately there were no alarms and the fun went on uninterrupted until the early hours. The hall was prettily decorated with bunting, by Young while McManmon had artistic floral decorations on the stage.

From 8 until 9 the American orchestra entertained the audience with some of the latest musical compositions.

The concert over, neat dance orders were distributed. Then the orchestra struck up a Wagnerian march and Chief Hosmer with his daughter, Miss Emma Hosmer, led off, Mayor Courtney and Miss Smith followed and then came one hundred or more couples.

After the march general dancing was enjoyed the floor being crowded until quite late.

Chief Hosmer made a courteous general manager and first assistant engineer J. F. Norton knew his business as floor director. His aids were:

J. W. Jantzen, Fred Boynton, B. C. Reed, J. J. Quinlan, J. H. Joyce, E. F. Walsh, Charles Riley, B. J. Dunn, G. H. Chapman, J. J. McCafferty, J. F. Welch, J. J. Donohoe, C. A. Thompson, H. A. Merrill, H. B. Downs, W. H. Halstead.

On the committee on arrangements were the chief, J. F. Norton, Charles Stackpole, W. A. Dolan, Capt. S. E. Bartlett, J. F. McKissock.

These gentlemen were on the reception committee: Mayor, Wm. F. Courtney, ex-Mayor C. D. Palmer, Alderman Geo. H. Tryder, Alderman Wm. L. Hills, Councilman Edward T. Goward, Councilman James F. Miskella, Councilman Patrick H. Barry, ex-Alderman Geo. C. Evans, ex-Alderman Peter H. Donahoe, ex-Alderman Watson A. Dickinson, Engineer Geo. F. Salmon, Engineer Edward Meloy, Engineer Henry W. Burton.

Chris. Holmes' Capes.

POLICE NOTES.

Mathew Ford and Elmer Black, the two escaped convicts from the reformatory, were captured in Nashua, Tuesday evening, by Deputy Marshal Wheeler, Inspector Flood and Special Officer Hammel. They had tramped from Concord through Lowell to Nashua.

The Festive Bird Was Not Raffled.

The police, acting under instructions from headquarters, put a damper on the time honored raffles of turkeys, pigs, etc., and consequently there was much fun missed by the many who went to participate in such sports.

MUNICIPAL NOTES.

The committee on streets will meet Monday afternoon and evening.

Quite a Move.

The overcoat buyers will no doubt be quite interested in the fact that O'Hearn & Dowd today offer their $25, $30 and $35 overcoats at $20 each. It is the earliest move on record and possibly the biggest in price cutting. The regular sizes can be found among their assortment as well as all sizes at $6, $8, $10, $12, $15 and $20, their regular lines. After this sale the firm say they have other surprises in store for the public. A big window display of the best goods is made by the firm in the old post office.

Chris. Holmes' Mackintoshes.

Mr. O'Neil Declines.

Thomas O'Neil, who was nominated for alderman by the democrats, has declined.

Ira E. Shaw, one of the republican nominees, has also withdrawn his name from the ticket and Councilman Oliver has been nominated in his place.

Over in Ward six George A. Clark has declined the nomination of overseer of the poor.

UP-TO-DATE CHURCH.

Chicago Church Inaugurates a New System of Work.

The advertiser may consider himself no longer a publican. He may count himself even as one of the righteous. For one of the churches has gone to advertising extensively, with results so far that are as fruitful in bringing souls within the pale of salvation as are merchants who invest plenteously in printers' ink in bringing buyers to their counters. Immanuel Baptist church, Chicago, has resorted to colored posters and small invitation cards and circulars to let the people know there is a welcome there for the just and the sinner alike. When the church building was undergoing repairs, Sunday evening and midweek services were held in a neighboring church.

"The idea struck me as a good one," said Rev. Johnston Meyers, "that others as well as members of our congregation should know about our services, and so I conceived the notion of resorting to posters. Twelve hundred of these posters were put up on the South Side, and 5,000 bulletins and invitation cards mailed to persons living within reach of the church every week. It is the people we are after. In order to get them we must let them know by progressive and direct methods where we are. Theaters, department stores and even newspapers resort to this plan to attract people. If it is good for them, it ought to be good for churches. The church does not offer them a suit of clothes worth $15 for $11.50. It offers them peace in this world and eternal happiness in the other world to come. If they visit our house of worship and like it, they will come again, and again. If they do not, it may put them in the notion of attending church somewhere else."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Citizens Before All.

Another encouraging sign of the times is the decision of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip to take an interest in politics. This is doubly significant, coming so soon after the "citizenship vow" of the Y. P. S. C. E.—Boston Journal.

J. F. O'DONNELL,

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8 to 10, Beginners.

... to 11, Private.

... 7.45 to 11. Advance and ...

... to 10, Beginners.

... to 9.30, Young People.

... to 10.30, Intermediate.

...ons at any hour not occupied in ..., 8 a. m. to 10 p. m.

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GOV. GREENHALGE

Joined in Union Thanksgiving Service.

AT THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH YESTERDAY.

His Reasons Why Citizens Should Be Thankful.

Gov. Greenhalge yesterday practised what he preached in his Thanksgiving proclamation.

In the First Congregational church in the presence of a congregation that crowded the large edifice and surrounded by a number of clergymen he delivered an address on "The Citizen and Thanksgiving."

The large platform was draped with the American flag and profusely decorated with pinks, chrysanthemums and evergreens.

Rev. Dr. Seymour opened the service and Rev. G. C. Wright read scripture. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. M. Greene, D. D., and Rev. C. M. Hall of the Central M. E. church spoke on "The Christian and Thanksgiving."

Rev. Dr. Seymour then introduced the governor, who said in substance:

"You have heard the subject assigned upon which a few words are expected from me. You remember also the subject assigned to the preceding speaker, upon which he has made so forcible and eloquent an address; but I declare that I do not see any practical difference between the two subjects, "The Christian and Thanksgiving" and "The Citizen and Thanksgiving." It seems to me my friends, that the two topics are identical, or, if they are not, they ought to be; that the Christian ought to be a citizen, and the citizen ought to be a Christian. If we view the practical work of the Christian, we shall find him doing practical substantial work as a citizen. If we find the citizen doing his full duty to the Commonwealth, not by loud proclamations, but in real active work, we shall find the citizen prominent in the work of the church. So I say, we ought to be thankful to realize the indissoluble bond, the unmistakable identity between the Christian and the citizen.

We have a right to be thankful in the first place here, my friends, for this beautiful day. I do not imagine that because one day out of three hundred sixty-five and one-fourth was set apart by the Pilgrim Fathers, that they meant the other three hundred sixty-four and one-fourth should be given up to repining, to complaint, to fault finding and to criticism and censure, and yet it must be remembered when we find so many who are eager to criticise throughout the year, that some people are never really happy unless they have an opportunity to find fault with something or other. As the gloomy members of the ancient colony sometimes missed God's smile to catch his frown, so it is that for the great part of the year the ninety-five per cent. of good is lost sight of and the five per cent. of failure and evil unduly and disproportionately magnified. So it may be well, my friends, to come here on this holy day and take an account of stock and see if the fault-finders are justified, and if it is not true that we who with full hearts return thanks to Almighty God are justified in our actions.

I say we are bound to return thanks, in the first place, for this, God's day, with its sunshine and its beauty. Why, it seems as if autumn in all her robes of loveliness were pausing to deliver a sweet farewell, while winter, clad in icy mail like a grim knight, still had courtesy enough to allow her to pass away forever, and we get the beauty of autumn with scarcely a suggestion of the winter that is at hand. So I say, even in this outward manifestation of the beauty of the Lord, we are called upon for gratitude.

And then the fathers believed in publicly coming together and rendering thanks to the Almighty Father for the mercies which he had given and for the misfortunes which he had spared them.

As Massachusetts kneels today in her robes of splendor and majesty, she does it not in the spirit of the Pharisee, thanking God she is not as others are; she kneels there with all the traditional grandeur about her, and with the jewels of Atlanta just won, and yet not in a spirit of vain glory, not in a spirit of pride or boastfulness, but in the spirit of devout thankfulness to the God of the fathers, who has been with the children as He was with them.

This is a christian commonwealth. It has been from the beginning, and yet freedom, civil and religious, has been the very key note, the very divine music which has sounded from the beginning, when they united upon the desolate sea shore, down to this Thanksgiving day of 1895. And we have a right to thank God today because, other things being equal, the citizen of Massachusetts has more opportunity to follow out his way of everlasting life, to get more out of life, which is a suggestion of immortality, we believe, than the citizens of any other commonwealth in the world. Our institutions are based upon that principle, the right of education, God given. And I take special pride in assuring those who are doubtful or faint-hearted, that the system of public education in Massachusetts is the foundation stone which has just received its reward.

The last speaker was Rev. J. O. Campbell.

Chris. Holmes' Furs.

LOCAL NOTES.

Victoria lodge, Manchester Unity, Odd Ladies, held a concert in the M. U. hall last evening.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunne, of Springfield, passed Thanksgiving in this city as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Walker of Hanks street.

The Chelmsford Coons held their annual merry-making in the Chelmsford town hall last night. The Coons and their friends danced and enjoyed themselves as only happy people can.

Mr. J. C. Dunbar, a Boston showman, is in town to-day working over the field for a "continuous performance" theatre, to be run on the plan of Keiths. Mr. Dunbar was formerly manager for Keith and at present runs theatres in Fall River and Salem.

Some people wonder how it is that the Merrimack Clothing Co. is disposing of so large a number of overcoats. The reason is that they not only look well and fit well but wear well. If you want to be one of the best dressed men in the city call at the Merrimack Clothing Company's store.

When you need printing, remember THE SUN.

2 O'CLOCK

KILLED BY BLOW

John F. Cronan of Lawrence the Victim.

HE WAS STRUCK WITH A RAILROAD CUE

And Died From Concussion of the Brain.

NEWBURYPORT, Mass., Nov. 29.—An autopsy was held yesterday on the body of John F. Cronan of Lawrence, who died Wednesday night, as a result of a blow from a billiard cue. It was found that death was caused by concussion of the brain. Daniel F. Leahey will be arraigned on a charge of manslaughter. Leahey was much affected when he learned of the outcome of the dispute, but his plea will be that the blow was struck in self-defense.

Two Unknown Unfortunates.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Workmen employed upon the ruins of the old Volksgarten in the Bowery, which was destroyed by fire last Saturday night, yesterday discovered the charred bodies of two men. Nobody has been reported missing as having been employed by the museum people, who occupied the building at the time the fire broke out, and an effort is being made to solve the mystery surrounding their identity.

Fitzsimmons' Chance.

DETROIT, Nov. 29.—John J. Quinn, Peter Maher's manager, says he is ready and anxious to contest Fitzsimmons' claims to the middleweight and heavyweight championships. He says: "I will match Maher against Fitzsimmons for any amount from $5000 up, and will arrange that Maher fights Fitzsimmons at any time or place, either in private or public."

Important Legislation.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 29.—The new constitution retains the present $1 poll tax and increases the educational property tax to 8 mills. In addition, the new constitution says the profits of the liquor dispensary and the penitentiary and the proceeds from the sale of abandoned lands and estates shall be turned into the public school funds.

Iron In River's Bed.

LEBANON, N. H., Nov. 29.—A temporary wooden structure over the Connecticut river at West Lebanon collapsed yesterday and fell into the river. The Berlin Bridge company, which was constructing a new bridge at that point, lost 90 tons of iron. The water in the river was very high and washed away the temporary bridge.

Long and Rough Passages.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The steamer Illinois reached this port yesterday a week overdue. She left Antwerp Nov. 6, and from Nov. 8, up to her arrival at the Delaware capes, she has been buffeted by a succession of hard gales. The Indiana also arrived from Liverpool after a tempestuous voyage.

This Was In Canada.

TORONTO, Nov. 29.—There are many American students in the Ontario Veterinary college. They sought to honor Thanksgiving day by raising the Stars and Stripes in one of their lecture rooms. To this the Canadian students objected and rudely hauled down the flag, though they met with vigorous resistance. Then ensued a free fight, in which several on both sides were slightly injured.

Idle Long Enough.

TRENTON, Nov. 29.—The Sanitary pottery employes will return to work on Monday. They have been on strike for eight weeks, the chief differences with the bosses being over an alleged excessive hiring of apprentices.

Wedded on the Stage.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—A wedding occurred on the stage of the Westminster theater yesterday. The principals were Arthur L. Gorman and Annie Weltman, the latter a member of the Mario Roselle company.

Absence Accounted For.

STAMFORD, Conn., Nov. 29.—Jeremiah Lockwood, aged 40, colored, who has been missing since Tuesday, was found dead three miles from here yesterday. Death probably followed attacks of epilepsy.

Duryea Came In First.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The motor cycle contest was won by the Duryea machine, which is operated by gasoline. The H. Mueller machine came in second.

Back to Hoosier State.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Ex-President Benjamin Harrison left this city yesterday afternoon for his home in Indianapolis.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Chili is reported to be seeking a loan of $80,000,000.

Search for gold in Connecticut will be made in the spring.

An Oregon boy confessed that he murdered three persons.

The United States senate may be Republican by one majority.

Canadian sealers decided to give up their regular spring voyage.

Secret societies in the United States are denounced by the cardinals.

Two boys were killed while walking on the track near Taunton, Mass.

Corrupt members of the Madrid municipal council are to be removed.

A diamond weighing 655 carats was found in the Orange Free State.

A 'bus full of young people was spilled into a river near Whately, Mass.; all were saved.

District Attorney Butler of New Orleans was committed for contempt of court.

United States Senator Perkins would raise the tariff on all cheap Japanese goods.

The Emperor of Germany is mentioned as a possible arbitrator in the Venezuelan dispute.

The theological school of the American Methodist Episcopal church in Rome was inaugurated.

Autograph collectors have ruined many state papers in the government's executive departments.

MEED OF PRAISE

For the Puritans From Rev. Dr. Parkhurst.

DEATH HEREAFTER TO ALL TRAIN WRECKERS

And Some Very Pointed Criticism of the Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—In his Thanksgiving sermon yesterday in the Madison Avenue Presbyterian church, the Rev. Dr. Parkhurst took for his subject the prevailing lawlessness and its cause. For the first time in 15 years his congregation broke into cheers during his sermon. It was when he asserted that he was proud of his Puritan ancestry, and wished that there was a ridge of Plymouth rocks from the Battery to Westchester.

The sermon contained some sensational features, one of which was an allusion to the Rome boy train-wreckers, who, he said, should be tried and convicted within a week, and hanged within a month for the good of society.

Hot Shot For Editors.

After discussing the excise law and recent political movements, Dr. Parkhurst said: "And it is one of the most startling and appalling features of the entire situation that there have been newspapers that, with brazen audacity, have aided and abetted these anarchists and conspirators, and that, seven days in the week, beside extras, have flaunted their criminal sympathy with crime, and have resorted to every conceivable villainous journalistic device to make ridiculous the officials that undertook to do what they swore they would do, and to make reputable criminals that trampled on the law and ought to have been treated to a cell and not to eulogy.

"Some of these papers that for months made a steady practice of instigating crime, if they had been published in Berlin, would have been confiscated, with all the publication machinery, and their managers retired to enforce privacy and a diet of bread and water."

Indians Are Stubborn.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Included in the report of the secretary of the interior is that of the Dawes commission to the five civilized tribes. The commission, in reporting its failure to negotiate with the Indians, says that the conditions have grown worse instead of better since the last report. In its conclusion, the commission says: "It is, in the judgment of the commission, the imperative duty of congress to assume at once political control of the Indian Territory. They have come with great reluctance to this conclusion, and have sought by all methods that might reach the convictions of those holding power in the territory to induce them by negotiation and mutual agreement to consent to a satisfactory change in their system of government and appropriation of tribal property."

Colored Folks Won.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Nov. 29.—A big lawsuit brought by the colored people of Cherokee county, who were brought into the nation as slaves and afterward became free men, against the Cherokees, to establish their rights as Cherokee citizens, has been compromised. The settlement makes the colored people members of the Cherokee nation, and entitles them to about $1,300,000 of the money received for their strip, and their proper interest in the unsold lands, comprising many millions of acres.

The Gallicia's Mishap.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The work of unloading the damaged cargo of the German steamship Gallicia, which put into this port Wednesday, with fire in the main hold, continues. The entire cargo in the main hold consisted of 30,000 bushels of grain, 1100 bales of cotton and 5000 bags of cotton-seed meal and other merchandise. This will all be unloaded. It is estimated that the loss on the cargo will amount to $75,000, and the damage to the vessel is about $5000.

No Apology.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—A dispatch from Caracas says: "It is officially stated that the revolutionary outbreak is of no importance. No British ultimatum has yet been received, and many of the influential Venezuelans urge an amicable settlement. The government is afraid that the tendering of an apology would be equivalent to recognizing the right of England to the disputed territory. Otherwise it is ready to give satisfaction."

Young Folks Had a Voice.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—The Catholic Total Abstinence society convention was held here yesterday. Delegates were present from Massachusetts and this state. Rt. Rev. Matthew Harkins delivered an address. The Juvenile Cadets of New Bedford, Mass., were allowed representation in the convention, the first time the body has ever been represented in the society.

Will Have New Station.

STAMFORD, Conn., Nov. 29.—The Consolidated road and the Fergusons have agreed upon a price, said to be between $80,000 and $90,000, and the former has purchased property west of the present station for a new passenger station site and increased track accommodation.

Two Barns Burned.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Two large barns belonging to the Boston and Albany railroad in the Brighton stock yards were destroyed by fire. The fire was of incendiary origin, and is the fifth that has occurred in the vicinity within the past three months.

Responsible For Eleven Deaths.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 29.—George W. Davis has been convicted on his third trial of murder in the second degree. The crime charged was the wrecking of the Rock Island passenger train on the night of Aug. 20, 1894, and the killing of 11 people.

Gold Mine at Low Figure.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The sheriff yesterday sold the property at Mooseland belonging to Dr. C. R. Jenkins of Boston, including gold mining areas and dwelling houses, engine house; plant for $1500.

Fills Mahone's Place.

PETERSBURG, Va., Nov. 29.—The Virginia Republicans yesterday chose Colonel Lamb of Norfolk as Mahone's successor as leader of the Republicans of Virginia, he being made chairman of the state committee and also Virginia's representative on the Republican national committee.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

BUTLER—The remains the late Thomas H. Butler, the popular employe of the lands and buildings department, were consigned to their last resting place in the Catholic cemetery, yesterday afternoon, with simple religious services and in the presence of a great concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

The deceased had an extensive acquaintance in the city, particularly in old ward one, where he was a prime favorite and his death in the prime of life is greatly mourned.

Previous to the hour of the funeral the residence was visited by hundreds who looked for the last time upon the face of their deceased friend, and the funeral was unusually large for a young man in private life.

There were no services at the church, but at the graveside Rev. Fr. Gleason of St. Patrick's church, where deceased was a faithful attendent, read the committal service.

The bearers were Councilman Mansfield, Michael J. Garvey, David J. Crowley, James H. Kennedy, Patrick Collins and Joseph F. Convery. Among those present at the funeral were many citizens prominent in public and private life, including the Ward four members of the common council.

INESON—The funeral of Scholes Ineson was held at 17 South Whipple street, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Kival officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Blackmer, Whitaker, Whittier, and Langly. Interment was in Edson cemetery.

BUTTERS—The funeral of Mary, wife of George Butters, was held at East Chelmsford Tuesday at 1 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Seymour officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Atwood, Severence, Pierce and Fuller. The interment was in the Edson cemetery.

DEATHS.

MCCANN—Michael McCann formerly of Lowell, died at his home in Manchester, N. H., Tuesday evening, aged 38 years.

COBURN—Miss Isabella Coburn died of heart disease Wednesday afternoon at her home on Merrimack street. She was a member of the Unitarian society, and of the X. V. club, and was known and respected by a large circle of friends.

For a nice spring garden now is the time to order bulbs of all kinds at McManmon's palace flower store, Prescott stree. Telephone 3.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley J.

Business was quite slow in court this morning.

There were only three drunks.

James McCue, charged with committing an unnatural act was held in $800 for trial next Friday.

James Doherty for larceny was sent to jail for six months. He stole a coat from the Boott corporation.

Chris. Holmes' Jackets.

It is True

that there is no other tea used so extensively in this city today as the Garden Flower tea sold by us. If you are not useing it you don't use the best tea. Commercial Tea Co., opp. post office.

Pure Blood

Is the great requisite for good health, because the blood is the vital fluid which carries nourishment and support to all the organs of the body. Make your blood pure now by the use of the great blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will overcome that tired feeling, give you an appetite, and sweet, refreshing sleep. The accompanying portrait is that of Prof. Edwin F. Norton, professor of French and German at Olivet College, Michigan. He writes: "It gives me pleasure to say that we have always found Hood's Sarsaparilla of great value and assistance in restoring vigor, appetite, etc., whenever we have used it."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the only True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye today.

Hood's Pills cure habitual constipation. Price 25 cents.

WRIT OF INJUNCTION SERVED

TO PREVENT MAYOR COURTNEY FROM SIGNING CONTRACT.

For the Moody Street Bridge—May Cause Delay But Nothing More.

Writs of injunction were served yesterday afternoon to prevent Mayor Courtney from signing the contract for the building of the iron work on the Moody street bridge.

The writs were served on William E. Courtney, mayor; Charles F. Coburn, city treasurer; Daniel F. Varnum, Frederick J. Flemings, Hugh Maguire, Jr., Joseph H. Gormley, John E. Sullivan, Charles Riley, George W. Hartwell, members of the joint standing committee on streets; and George Bowers, city engineer.

The signers of the complaint are E. Garfield Baker, Henry C. Dexter, Freeman A. Lewis, C. Frank Durrel, Jacob Baron, William Clifford, George A. Skinner, William Mack, Thomas E. Adams, Gilbert P. Drewett.

The hearing will be held in the Superior court at Cambridge the first Monday in January.

HOW TO DETECT GRIP.

You May Tell From the Appearance of Your Tongue if You Have It.

As the season for the grip is approaching it is interesting to know of a discovery recently made by an English physician by which any one may tell whether or not he has been attacked by the malady. The physician is Dr. John Terry, resident medical officer of the Royal Surrey County hospital.

Dr. Terry has discovered that in the early acute stage of the disease the tongue is covered, as a rule, with whitish or grayish fur. This layer may be so thin that the pink substance of the tongue shows through it. The characteristic feature, however, of the disease is the presence of dark purplish red spots or elevations scattered all over the tongue. These spots are rather larger than a pinhead. At the back of the tongue there are several large elevations, varying in size from that of a pin's head to a split pea or even larger. When the tongue is coated with white fur, the red spots produce an appearance known as the white strawberry tongue. When there is no fur, the appearance is more like a red strawberry.

At a later stage these red spots turn into pinkish, white, jellylike dots. In chronic cases when the patient has got through the worst of it the tongue still shows quite characteristic signs. It is usually of a deep red or purplish color, is fairly clear or sometimes slightly covered with a grayish or brownish fur. The purple spots are no longer to be seen, their place being taken by transparent white dots, which are rather larger than those of the earlier stages.

This order of changes in the appearance of the tongue is not always the same in every patient. The purplish spots may remain throughout, but in the majority of cases the description holds good. In every case of grip, however, one or other of the conditions of the tongue is present. Besides these changes in the tongue small white dots may be seen on the mucous membrane of the lips and cheeks. The throat is usually found to be dry and red. As the patient gets better the spots or vesicles become less and less pronounced, and finally when he is well they completely disappear.—New York World.

Private Postal Cards a Success.

According to the report of the British postmaster general, the plan of allowing private cards to go through the mails with a cent stamp affixed has proved a great success. The number of cards mailed in seven months increased 65,000,000, or about 25 per cent, and the postoffice saved $100,000 in printing official postal cards. The weight carried also was much reduced. Efforts will be made to introduce the system in this country.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Cuba's Fight For Freedom.

The Cubans are doing pretty well, thank you. Despite the fact that not a single nation of the earth has accorded them belligerent rights there is little doubt, taking all accounts into consideration, that they are making the Spanish mighty sick of their job.—Troy Press.

For Stealing a Pair of Suspenders.

Henry Irons, colored, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment at hard labor at Wilmington, Del., for the larceny of a pair of suspenders. This sentence also includes an hour in the pillory and 20 lashes at the whipping post.—Baltimore American.

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For an Eight Hour Day.

Members of trades unions affiliated with the Federated Metal Trades are discussing the question of making a demand May 1, 1896, for an eight hour workday.

All over the United States during the next 30 days a vote will be taken in every union of machinists, molders, boiler makers and iron shipbuilders, tin and sheet iron workers, brass workers and blacksmiths as to whether the recommendation of the Federated Metal Trades convention, favoring a general demand for eight hours, shall be indorsed. If the vote is in the affirmative, then the delegates from these organizations will ask the American Federation of Labor to back them in their efforts to secure the shorter day.

At the last convention of the federation President Gompers advocated a general demand for an eight hour day on May 1, 1896. This was favorably reported upon, with the recommendation that the next convention, which meets in New York in December, should arrange the details, provided the issue was indorsed by the affiliated unions.

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Boys' Ulsters 8 to 15 years, $3.

From that up to $8 we can introduce you to garments of intrinsic worth that will interest you. For lads from 4 to 10 years we offer you a Cape Overcoat, Victory woolen goods, at $2.50. Of course the $5 Knockabout from A. Shuman & Co. is always in evidence in our Boys' Department.

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You will pardon us for blowing about our Natural Wool Underwear at $1, but then you want to see our large corner Window display of these warm, serviceable garments, either double or single breasted, and understand they are direct from the mills in case lots—same as others sell at $1.25. No wonder we blow. HOSIERY.—Natural wool and Camel's Hair, another case, 15c. a pair, 2 pairs for 25c., the price of a single pair.

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FRANK B. DOW.

HON. JOHN C. Burke can make a nice nominating speech.

SENATOR LODGE is acquitting himself of a great deal of jingoism.

QUINCY RALLIES are all the rage in Boston. Curtis is bound to go.

THANKSGIVING OF 1895 is gone and right well it was enjoyed hereabouts.

THE LOWELL and Suburban street railroad, according to its own figures, is not a profitless concern.

HON. WILLIAM F. Courtney may have some enemies in his own party but they will not vote for Miller.

THE PRESIDENT is at work on his last message to congress. It is not likely to have any reference to the subject of a third term.

COUNCILMAN GOWARD gave an exhibition of wheedling in first allowing the nomination to be tendered him and then refusing to accept it. That will never make him more popular with the A. P. A.

THE ONLY disagreeable hitch in the convention was the defeat of Mr. Custy who sought the nomination. He is a popular democrat, but the majority of the convention thought Mr. Crowley would run better at large. It was no slight upon Mr. Custy and should not be taken as such.

MR. PERRY, the citizens' candidate for mayor against the A. P. A. nominee, sneers at the idea that "such a country as this with a population of 70,000,000, a country that achieved such triumphs in her infancy should need as defenders an insignificant horde of foreigners who pose as patriots. "As well," he says "might we set up a tallow candle to illuminate the sun that shines in the heavens." Bravo! Perry; you deserve election.

MARLBORO'S CITY CHARTER.

The Marlboro city council has adopted a new city charter to be submitted to the legislature next year with a request that it be submitted to the voters for approval. It provides that the aldermen and school committee shall be elected at large, for a board of public works and that all departments shall be under civil service law. The board of public works is appointed by the mayor. The document seems to be generally favored by the citizens and is calculated to procure an administration free from partnership.

THE COURIER'S NON-PARTISANSHIP.

The Courier disavows all intention of approaching the city election with partisan motives and then starts out by stating that Mr. Miller has long been a citizen of Lowell and that "he has not been connected with transactions which have engendered the emphatic condemnation of partisan trades and manipulation."

Oh! no, Mr. Miller has been an outside party to many of the trades because the very trades referred to by the Courier were in part adopted at the secret meetings of the A. P. A., and carried out by the tools of that order in the board of aldermen, the common council and the school board.

The Courier winds up by intimtaing that the present "gang" should be cleared out, which is another way of advising the people to swallow the A. P. A. ticket. There is a great deal of non-partisanship about the Citizen, and now the staid old Courier is coming out with a non-partisan manifesto in favor of the republican A. P. A. ticket.

BURY THE HATCHET.

Now that the A. P. has nominated its idol for mayor and some of its most trusted "Friends" for aldermen, the "advisory board" has sent out an imperative edict to bury the hatchet. By that it is given out that the axe which was used in chopping off the political heads of Fred Woodles, Councilmen Morse and Goward and that was used with almost fatal effect against A. G. Swapp is to be laid aside until after election day in order to beguile the old line republicans into voting for Joseph Miller and the gang. Should Miller and the gang be elected, the council and school board being controlled by the A. P. A., as they will be, there would then be a demand for the axe. It would be freely used in making places for the "Friends" of the advisory board, the presidents and other officials of the darklantern lodges so far as the city departments could afford them sinecure berths. The A. P. A. lodges want harmony and they ask for a truce until after December 10. They will undoubtedly notify Senator Foss that they have suspended hostilities in his case and that they will not attempt to hound him any further if he votes for Joe Miller and the gang.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all try us.

MOJESKY EZ CAMEEL.

[By Eugene Field.]

Afore we went to Denver we had heard the Tabor Grand
Allowed by critics ez the finest opry in the land,
An roundin up at Denver in the fall of eighty-one,
Well heeled in p'int of looker an a-pinin for some fun,
We told Bill Bush that we wuz fixed quite comf'table for wealth
An hadn't struck that altitood entirely for our health.
You see, we knew Bill Bush at Central City years ago
(An a whiter man than that same Bill you could not wish to know).
Bill run the Grand for Tabor, an he ginus two a deal
Ez how we really otter see Modjesky ez Cameel.

"Three Fingered" Hoover stated that he'd great deal rather go
To call on Charley Sampson than frequent a opry show.
"The queen of tradegy," sez he, "is wot I've never seen,
An I reckon there is more for me in some other kind uv queen!"
"Git out!" sez Bill, digustedlike. "An can't you never find
A pleasure in the things of life w'ich ellervates the mind?
You've set around in Casey's restawraw a year or more
An heerd ole Vere de Blaw perform shef doovers by the score—
Only to come down here among us tong an say you feel
You'd ruther take in faro than a opry like 'Cameel!'"

But it seems it wurn't no opry, but a sort uv foreign play,
With a heap uv talk an dressin that wuz both dekollytay.
A young chap sparks a gal who's caught a dook that's old an wealthy—
She has a cold, an faintin fits, an is gin'rally onhealthy.
She says she has a record, but the young chap doesn't mind,
An it looks ez if the feller wuz a proper, likely kind
Until his old man sneaks around an makes a dirty break,
An the young duo plays the sucker an gives the girl the shake.
"Armo! Armo!" she hollers, but he flings her on the floor,
An says he ain't orgoin to have no truck with her no more.
At that "Three Fingered" Hoover says: "I'll chip into this game
An see if Red Hoss mountain cannot reconstruct the same.
I won't set by an see the feelin's uv a lady hurt—
Gol durn a critter, anyhow, that does a woman dirt!"
He riz up like a giant in that little painted pen
An stepped upon the platform with the women folks an men—
Across the trough of gas lights he bounded like a deer,
An grabbed Armo an hove him through the landscape in the rear,
An then we saw him shed his hat an reverently kneel,
An put his strong arms tenderly ... and the gal Cameel.

A-stan'in in his stockin feet, his height wuz six foot three,
An a huskier man than Hoover wuz you could not hope to see—
He downed Lafe Dawson wrasslin, an one night I seen him lick
Three Cornish miners that come into camp from Rearin crick
To clean out Casey's restawraw an do the town they said.
He could whip his weight in wildcats an paint whole townships red—
But good to helpless folks an weak—a brave an manly heart
A cyclone couldn't phase, but any child could rend apart.
Jest like the mountain pine which dares the storm that howls along,
But rocks the winds uv summertime an sings a soothin song.

"Cameel," sez he, "your record is agin you, I'll allow,
But, bein you're a woman, you'll git justice anyhow!
So, if you say you're sorry an intend to travel straight—
Why, never mind that other chap with which you meant to mate!
I'll marry you myself an take you back tomorrow night
To the camp on Red Hoss mountain, where the boys'll treat you white.
Where Casey runs a tabble dote an folks are brave and true,
Where there ain't no ancient history to bother me or you,
Where there ain't no law but honesty, no evidence but facts,
Where, between the verdick an the rope, there ain't no enter acts!"

I wuz mighty proud uv Hoover, but the folks began to shout
That the feller was intrudin an would some one put him out.
"Well, no; I reckon not," says I, or words to that effect,
Ez I perduced a argument I thought they might respect—
A long an harrasome weepon I'd pre-empted when I come
Out west—its cartridges wuz big an juicy ez a plum—
W'ich when presented properly, wuz very apt to sway
The popular opinion in a most persuasive way.
"Well, no; I reckon not!" says I, but I didn't say no more,
Dbserving that there wuz a gin'ral movement toward the door.

First Dr. Lemen he allowed that he had got to go
An see a patient he jest heerd wuz lyin very low.
An Charlie Toll riz up an said he guessed he'd jine the doc
An go to see a client w'ich wuz waitin round the block.
John Arkins reckollected he had interviews to write,
An previous engagements hurried Cooper from our sight.
Cal Cole went out to buy a hoss, Fred Skiff an Belford, too,
An Stapleton remembered he had heaps uv work to do.
Somehow or other every one wuz full of business then—
Lonstwise they all vamoosed an didn't bother us again.

I reckollect that Willard Morse an Bush come runnin in
A-hollerin, "Oh, wot idiots you two durned fools have been!"
I reckollect that they allowed we'd made a big mistake—
They otter knowed us tenderfoots wuz sure to make a break!
An while Modjesky stated we wuz somewhat off our base
I half opined she liked it by the look upon her face.
I reckollect that Hoover regretted he done wrong
In throwin that there actor through a vista ten miles long.
I reckollect we all shuck hands an ordered vin frappay,
An I never shall forget the head I had on me next day!

I haven't seen Modjesky since—I'm hopin to again.
She's goin to show in Denver soon; I'll go to see her then.
An maybe I shall speak to her, w'ich if I do I will be
About the old friend restin by the mighty western sea.
A simple man perhaps, but good ez gold an true ez steel—
He could whip his weight in wildcats, an you never heard him squeal;
Good to the helpless an the weak, a brave an manly heart
A cyclone couldn't phase, but any child could rend apart—
So like the mountain pine that dares the storm w'ich sweeps along,
But rocks the winds uv summertime an sings a soothin song.

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MAKESHIFT EXCUSES.

Republicans Are Now Raising the Overproduction Cry.

In a recent lecture Mr. Edward Atkinson fittingly rebuked the well worn device of citing "overproduction" whenever a false system of economics is found not to work.

Jealous of the enormous boom of trade under the now tariff bill, some of the Republican partisans are beginning to predict an overproduction of cotton goods. The southern mills, which in 1880 had only 542,000 spindles, have now 2,879,000.

The American cotton mills have 1,400,000,000 backs to cover. Many of these backs are well nigh shirtless, and there are but few which are too well provided for. The number of people who are complaining of too many shirts is extremely small, to say nothing of 100,000,000 shirtless Asiatics.

The cry of overproduction is always the cry of evasion—the last shift whereby to excuse a false industrial policy. It is a virtual insult to every work willing person with a ragged coat, a dilapidated shirt and toes looking out of his boots for protection.

Under a judicious tariff policy and an ample supply of the circulating medium there is no such thing as overproduction, except, possibly, the overproduction of men credulous enough to accept this makeshift excuse for false economic policies and unreasoning greed.—Boston Globe.

The Statesman From Bitter Creek.

Senator Chandler seems less eager to twist the British lion's tail or to drive the proud Castilian from the Spanish main than he appeared to be before the elections. He still wears his hat cocked at a bellicose angle, but his leonine roar has become as gentle as the mewing of a pussy cat. He now believes that "the preparation of the Cubans for self government should be fully ascertained" before this government shall commit itself to intervention in their behalf, and that the Monroe doctrine should be asserted "so far as it applies" to the Guiana boundary dispute—a very wise and unimpeachably correct limitation. As the time for the opening of the congressional session draws near the statesman from Bitter Creek seems to be more mindful of his senatorial responsibility.—Philadelphia Record.

A Reckless Squanderer.

Mr. Quay's plans for increasing the revenues of the government have for a traveling companion a very liberal proposition for spending them as fast as they are increased.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Very Few Are Deserving.

Pingree has carried Detroit by a handsome majority. It is a pity that so many other successful candidates are much less deserving than the great potato philanthropist.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Hard Luck Stories In Demand.

Possessors of hard luck stories and calamity information will learn something to their advantage by placing themselves in correspondence with William McKinley.—Washington Post.

Keep an Eye on 1896.

The pendulum of politics has been swinging to and fro in almost annual alternation ever since the great tidal wave of 1875. Now look out for 1896.—Kansas City Times.

They're Not Thinking of the Country.

If the Republicans do no better with their new slump than they have done with the old one, little good will come to the country from the recent elections.—Exchange.

Harrison Badly Damaged.

We firmly believe that Mr. Harrison has good cause of action against the man who induced him to write that letter on municipal politics.—Washington Post.

Don't Mind the Smell.

The Republicans and the A. P. A.'s have carried Omaha again. Nothing in the way of a bad smell has stopped this year's tidal wave.—St. Louis Republic.

Fear Their Prophecy Will Prove True.

Indiana Republican journals that said, "As Indianapolis goes this year so will go Indiana next year," are all "broken up."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, carrying on business as expressmen at Lowell, under the firm name and style of Post Gardner Express company, was, on November 21st, dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business in the future will be carried on by the said Frank Dunlap alone under the same name and style.

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FRANK DUNLAP.

SUNBEAMS.

Too Sensitive.

Chappie—But surely you don't mean that you won't speak to me again?

Tootsie—I do. You were very rude.

Chappie—But, my dear girl, I only said that I could see by your face you were an artist.—Ally Sloper.

An Editor's Nightmare.

The former editor of The Scotsman, when he retired to enjoy his well earned leisure, gave Alexander Russell this advice: "The conduct of a daily paper," he said, "is always a very serious thing, full of dangers and difficulties, but in addition to its usual anxieties you, my friend, will every night have to keep the most vigilant watch lest that man Hill Burton should contrive to insert his theory about Scotch cheese into your columns."

It is not necessary to particularize what it was. It will suffice to say that this theory—based upon the exposure of Scotch cheeses in front of the shops and the treatment to which they were consequently exposed—was not complimentary or likely to recommend them to the purchaser.

"Day and night," said Russell, "for 15 years I have never forgot my predecessor's warning. A hundred times that theory endeavored to gain admittance into my columns and by most unlooked for channels. Sometimes it lurked concealed in an article about the Crimean war, sometimes in one of the divorce cases, sometimes in one on the division of the Free church in Scotland or even in the disruption itself, but it was always detected and struck out.

"It was a duel to the death, for I knew that Hill Burton would never relax his efforts to get his views upon Scotch cheeses into print while there was breath in his body. On the morning of the last day of the fifteenth year he ran into my office waving a paper in his hand and crying out: 'It's in! It's in!'

"'What?' cried I. 'Not in The Scotsman, surely?'

"'No,' said he, 'in "Chambers' Information For the People."'

"My relief of mind is not to be described."—Pearson's Weekly.

Did Him Injustice.

Slimpson (angrily)—See here, Jimson, I just want to know if you turned down this side street to avoid me.

Jimson—Why—er—certainly not, old boy. I—er—I didn't see you.

Slimpson (somewhat mollified)—I had an idea you thought I was one of those fellows who always borrow and never pay.

Jimson—No, no—er—of course not. Your credit is as good as any one's.

Slimpson—I beg your pardon, Jimson. I see I've done you injustice. Lend me $10, will you?—New York Weekly.

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[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

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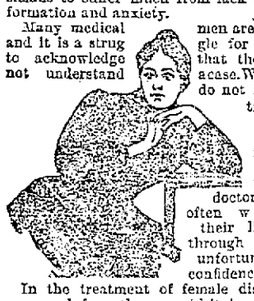

Many medical men are vain, and it is a struggle for them to acknowledge that they do not understand a case. Women do not investigate; they have faith in their doctor, and often wreck their lives through this unfortunate confidence.

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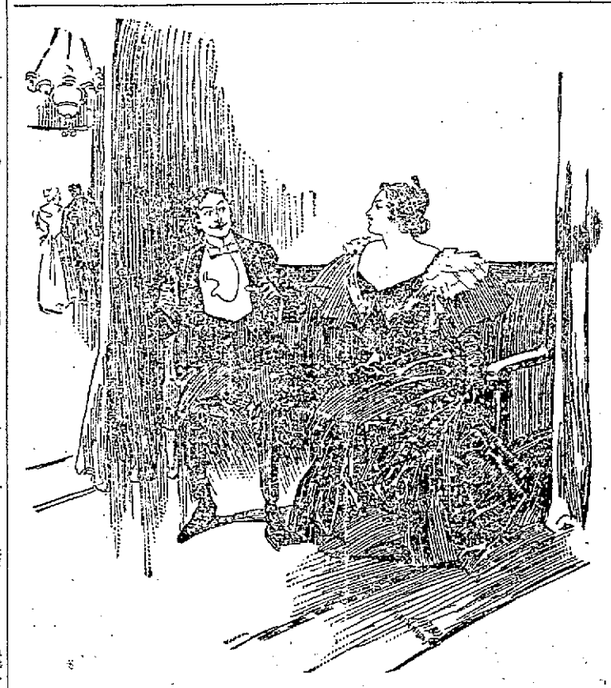

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NOTED CONVICTS

Jabez Balfour And His Pals Sentenced.

THEY ROBBED WIDOWS AND ORPHANS EXTENSIVELY.

The Victims Thought to Have Lost About $35,000,000.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Sentences were pronounced in the queen's bench division of the high court of justice yesterday on Jabez S. Balfour, George Edward Brock and Morrell Theobold, convicted of fraud in connection with the Lands Allotment company and the House and Land Investment Trust companies, forming part of the Liberator group of institutions. Balfour was sentenced to 14 years' penal servitude, seven years on each count. Brock and Theobold were sentenced to nine and four months, respectively. All the other indictments against Balfour have been abandoned.

J. S. BALFOUR.

On a par with the South Sea bubble and the Kaffir craze was the financial scheme so widely ruinous to confiding investors operated by Jabez Balfour. The losers through the collapse of his companies were literally to be numbered by hundreds of thousands. These were largely the very people who could least afford to lose—widows and orphans and aged people of small means. They had been induced to invest because "Mr. Balfour was such a good man!"

His father and mother had been temperance lecturers. He was a temperance lecturer. He was a leader in church affairs. He looked with the strongest disapproval upon theaters, music halls, cards, dancing and all such worldly things. He was, moreover, a member of the house of commons, where he was one of the most enthusiastic followers of Mr. Gladstone, one of the stanchest champions of home rule and one of the sternest reprovers of the house of lords for its plutocracy and its contempt for the common people.

Strange as it may appear, he laid the foundation of his colossal scheme upon the ruins of various similar schemes that had ended in disaster.

"The Liberator," his chief concern, was built upon the ruins of the Alliance National Land, Building and Investment society, and the States bank and a number of other allied concerns known as the Alliance group.

Appealed to Religious Societies.

The basis of the organization was expressed in the Latin motto: "Libera sedes liberum fiedt"—a free home makes a free man. Its name was a success; hundreds of Congregationalists were attracted by its prospectus, and an appeal was made to Nonconformist ministers and others connected with temperance and religious societies all over the land to promote its beneficent objects. In 1875 another association was hatched, the "Lands Allotment company," with practically the same directorate and Jabez Spencer Balfour as the controlling genius.

From this period onward there was a regular succession of new companies. In most of these concerns there was a regularly paid dividend of 5 per cent to the shareholders and 4 per cent to depositors. The recklessness of the financing was never surpassed. Balfour discovered a progressive builder named Hobbs. Such large amounts were advanced to Hobbs that when he failed his concern was indebted to the Liberator to the extent of $10,495,000.

Apart from those transactions, "the Balfour group" were financing properties of a more or less speculative character all over the country. Though disaster followed these concerns from first to last, dividends were always found in the new subscriptions and deposits, and directors' remuneration never failed. The total amount of ruin brought upon investors through the final crash may be reckoned thus:

Liberator society, stockholders, $8,305,825, and depositors, $8,261,460; Lands Allotment company, capital subscribed, $3,831,030; House and Lands trust, stockholders, $980,725, and depositors, $7,998,720; Building Securities company, capital subscribed, $1,318,675, and Hobbs & Co., capital subscribed, $395,810.

These aggregate $30,293,770, a colossal sum. But there are various other items which, if added, would bring it up to nearly or quite $35,000,000.

Must Remain In Office.

LIMA, Nov. 29.—President Pierola has expressed his opinion that the services of the ministers have been performed in accordance with the national wish, notwithstanding the vote of censure passed by the chamber of deputies, the senate non-concurring, and has accordingly refused to accept the resignations of the cabinet.

No Chance For Foreigners.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 29.—It is reported here that no railway concessions have been granted to foreigners in China, and that the Chinese government intends henceforth to keep the railway building in its own hands.

A Complete Loss.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The Nova Scotia schooner Three Cheers, with a cargo of produce, is a total wreck on the Prince Edward Island coast.

Why Not.

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CONCERNING OUR PATENT LAWS

THEY DO NOT BENEFIT INVENTORS BUT ENRICH MONOPOLISTS.

Henry Cohen Discusses Another Matter Upon Which the American Federation of Labor Has Taken a Stand—Edison's Declaration on the Subject.

[Special Correspondence.]

Among the special privileges which take from the laborer we find the patent monopoly. It is a very innocent appearing monopoly, but it helped the building up of a few goodly fortunes. Having full possession of the market is one of the factors that make telephone, telegraph and electrical companies so rich and so powerful, and we need not be surprised if in the next 20 years we see electric companies richer and more powerful than any of the present day corporations.

The proof of the growth of those industries which the patent laws especially fostered can be seen in any platform that calls for state control. There is a hope that the state will undo the mischief it has done. Would it not be the simpler way out of the difficulty to stop the further granting of this exclusive power?

When the government grants a man the exclusive right to make a certain machine or appliance, it precludes any later comer from making it. It matters not whether a second inventor is successful and can prove that he worked out his plan independently of the first. He came too late, and that settles it. This is clearly unjust. The world of ideas should be free just as the material world should be free. The raw material of nature should be accessible to all, and so should the objects upon which the mind would operate, which can be called the raw material of thought. The combination of ideas which results in an invention is possible at any time. It is therefore very absurd to suppose that had the idea not come to a certain individual the world would have lost it. If one had not discovered it another would, in the shortest time. Four inventors almost simultaneously brought out the telephone. One can almost say it was the time for the telephone to be born. And so it is with other inventions—the demand for them encourages men to direct their energies along certain lines.

There are two arguments usually made when one proposes the repeal of the patent laws. One is that no one will try to discover anything unless he is rewarded, and the long days and nights devoted to studying and planning will be given up. The second is that there can only be one successful inventor for each invention, yet the promise stimulates them all.

The first seems to be a plea for justice. But it is only for one inventor. If inventors are to be rewarded, why are those left out who spend the long days and nights in working, but who reach the patent office too late? And what justice is there in asking 1,000 men to give years of work for a reward that can only fall to one? There is clearly a desire on the part of society to have the nine hundred odd men working for nothing.

No pretense can therefore be made by society that it rewards inventors.

Justice forbids that a combination of ideas should be made the absolute property of an individual even for the 14 or 21 years provided by law. Why 14 or any other number? If an idea is a man's property, it belongs to him and his heirs and assigns forever. In limiting the time of absolute proprietorship our lawmakers practically admit they are doing an injustice.

The joke of the whole thing is that the inventor for whom so much concern is shown does not get the benefit. When Edison speaks, every one will admit it as expert testimony. This is what he told a reporter:

"Our patent system puts a premium on rascality. I have taken out 700 patents for my inventions, but I have never had one minute's protection. * * * I have never made one cent out of my inventions. All I have made has been out of manufacturing. * * * I believe I would be $000,000 better off if I had never taken out a patent. What I have made has been because I have understood the inventions better and have been able to manipulate the manufacturing of them better than the pirates. I could not have made anything had I not had large capital to back me, and the ordinary inventor has no protection whatever. His certificate of patent is merely a certificate to the poorhouse, and hundreds of inventors are ruined. They spend all they have in getting out their inventions, and they die poor."

Here is the confession of the most successful inventor of the day that capital, already overfed, rakes in through the patent laws the reward intended for the inventor. The American Federation of Labor placed itself on record by declaring against fundamental patents. This was done on the advice of the Electrical Workers, a union that sees in the everyday working order of things what I have tried to develop in its theoretical side in this letter.

HENRY COHEN.

Denver, Nov. 8.

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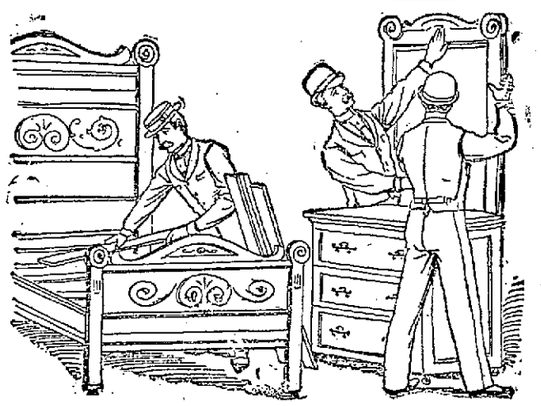

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For Boston, at 5.50, 8.15, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.06, 12.45, 2.30, 3.20, 4.05, 5.10, 6.10, 7.00, 9.31 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.06, 4.15, 7.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 5.50, 9.36, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 5.50, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 3.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 5.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Sacco and Portland 8.15, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m. 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones of Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Oct. 20, 1895, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:—

For Boston—5.45, 6.39, ¶6.50, *7.45, *8.50, ¶9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, ¶3.00, 4.30, ¶5.33 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston—5.45, 6.39, ¶6.53, §7.01, §7.15, *§7.27, *7.40, *8.07, 9.03, *9.20 11.07, 11.45 a. m.; 12.16, 1.44, ¶3.03, *4.03, 4.33, 5.29, ¶5.36, 6.24, 7.52 p. m. SUNDAYS, §*7.18, §*7.27, 8.45, *9.16 a. m; §4.25, ¶5.59 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.30, §7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, ¶5.58 p.m.

*Express. §Northern Depot only. ¶Via Bedford.

For Lawrence—5.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—7.38 a. m.; 1.26, 5.50 p. m.

☞ Time given below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.09, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 1.00, 3.45, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.45 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.14 9.45 a.m; 12.11, 1.00, 1.42, 3.43, 5.42, 6.20, 8.13, 8.45 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3 a.m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.14, 9.45 a. m; 12.11, (1.42 to Franklin and Bristol only), 5.42, 8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40 a. m; 1.42 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m; 1.42, 8.43 p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, 8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; 8.43 p. m.

Quebec Express via White River Junction—12.11, 8.13, p. m., daily except Sunday.

☞ ¶Daily for Montreal.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR FRIDAY, NOV. 29.

SUN RISES..... 6 52 | MOON SETS..... 4 01 AM
SUN SETS..... 4 18 | HIGH WATER..... 9 02 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..... 9 24 | FULL SEA..... 9 16 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair, with warmer southerly winds; probably colder tomorrow.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Reading line of electrics was not opened yesterday.

The Sons of Veterans held a sociable at their hall, Wednesday evening.

The churches of Christ on Centre held a union Thanksgiving service yesterday.

A number of Lowell people attended the dance at the Billerica town hall last evening.

Miss Lillian Breault entertained her friends last evening, on the occasion of her birthday.

The Loal gun club was to have a shoot at the range yesterday but it didn't come off and none of the gunners were present.

A unique musical entertainment was held in the First Presbyterian church last evening, which was largely attended and highly enjoyed.

Ararat lodge, I. O. G. T., admitted five new members last evening. Arrangements were made for the observance of the quarter centennial of the lodge.

Do you want a pretty ink stand for your table or desk? Lowe, the book seller, offers a regular 50 cents automatic ink stand for 25 cents, on Friday only. 79 Merrimack and 15 John street.

Struck by a Train.

A man named Flaherty was struck by a train shortly before 5 o'clock last evening near the Northern station. His brains, which were not serious, were cared for at St. John's hospital.

Paving Blocks Came Too Late.

Supt. Crowley has been notified that 15 cars loaded with paving blocks are ready to be unloaded on the Boston and Maine tracks. The superintendent declines to receive them. He says that they should have been delivered last month, and that they were delayed so long that it is too late to use them this year.

KIND SCHOOL CHILDREN

Found Some Trade Offerings for the Poor.

The children of the Plain street school gave their annual Thanksgiving offering for the poor Wednesday evening.

The offerings included vegetables, tea, coffee, sugar, cakes, fruit, bread and pies.

The articles were distributed among the needy families in the neighborhood of the school and the Faith Home, Open Door mission and the Ministry at Large.

DAN CONGRATULATES JOE

And Says He Will Support Him in the Fight.

The republican or A. P. A. candidates for municipal offices held a meeting Wednesday evening and decided to carry on a vigorous campaign from now till election day.

Alderman Varnum has written a congratulatory letter to "Joe" Miller and pledging his hearty support to the candidate on election day.

Only One Candidate.

The only candidate for the school board in Ward eight is Mr. Everett, republican. James Howard, nominated by the democrats, has declined to run.

CONTRACTOR WARD

Gets More Time in Which to Finish Work On Moody Street Bridge.

The street committee at a meeting Wednesday afternoon decided to allow Contractor Ward four weeks in which to complete the work on the Moody street bridge abutments.

Thomas H. Elliott appeared before the committee and asked that something be done to prevent the cottage house owned by him on the First street extension from falling into the road.

Action on this matter was postponed till next Monday.

The committee went up to the Pawtucket crossing and Daniel Gage met the members. He wanted them to have work on the changing of the gradecrossing discontinued for one year so as not to interfere with his business. The members advised him that the only course he could pursue would be to petition the courts and have the work stopped.

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin of Arkwright Street Congratulated by Many Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffin, residing at 20 Arkwright street, observed their golden wedding at their home yesterday.

They held a reception from four o'clock till nine in the evening, and McElroy's orchestra furnished music. A very large number of their friends called to congratulate them and many brought valuable presents.

The old couple were overjoyed to meet so many esteemed friends, many of whom were from out of town. Mr. Griffin is 80 years of age and Mrs. Griffin 77.

He formerly worked in the Massachusetts repair shop, but for years past has conducted the well known boarding house where he now resides. They have one son, Charles Griffin.

SINGING AND DANCING

Furnished Entertainment for the Thistle Club.

It was a pleasant party the Ladies' Thistle club held in Caledonian hall Wednesday evening, and the ladies of the club spared no pains to have everyone enjoy themselves. In the early part of the evening a concert was enjoyed. Those taking part were Miss Maggie Dobson, Miss Jessie Walker, Messrs. John Ray, John Murter, John Bayscock. Addresses were made by Mrs. J. S. McKay of the Thistle club, and by Chief George Gordon of the Caledonians. The most enjoyable feature was the sale of the boxes and Mr. Scott Taylor, as [illegible] Masa's notices, provided music for the dancing. A housewarming will be held next Wednesday in the new quarters, the old G. A. R. hall, over French & Potter's on Central street.

112 Pieces $5.49.

English dinner sets, 112 pieces, at $5.49 while they last. This is a rare bargain. See samples in our show window. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

Bowling, Billiards, Pool.

Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

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MORE TESTIMONY

Against the Turks in Armenian Outrages.

DIABOLICAL DEEDS AT SASSOUN AND ELSEWHERE.

Related by Missionary Witnesses of the Massacres.

BUFFALO, Nov. 29.—Misses Charlotte E. Ely and Mary A. C. Ely have just returned home after a long period of missionary labor in eastern Turkey, under the direction of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. Their absence has covered a space of 27 years, and as soon as affairs in the disturbed districts have quieted down, they will return to Turkey.

Speaking of the Sassoun massacres, a large part of which occurred at Marash, Miss Mary Ely said: "The massacre was undoubtedly planned by the porte. The immediate provocation came about as follows: The Kurds were in the habit of raiding the flocks of the Armenians. The Armenians, impoverished by repeated acts of robbery, banded together for the purpose of recovering their flocks from the Kurds. When the two parties met, of course there was fighting. Two Moslems were killed and several Christians. Then the Kurds mutilated the bodies of their slain countrymen. After that the corpses were carried to the headquarters of the provincial government at Bitlis and shown to Vali Pasha. 'See what the Christians are doing to us!' they exclaimed to the vali."

It was, Miss Ely declared, the Turkish regular soldiery who did the most of the killing during the massacres, while the Kurds stole the property. Returning to her narrative, Miss Ely said that after the first collision a series of retaliatory outrages took place. That was a year ago last August. Soon afterward, Tahsin Pasha went in person to Galigosan, a village in the Sassoun province, and in person ordered the massacre of the Armenian Christians. He wore, suspended by a cord around his neck, an imperial edict from the porte commanding him to "chastise" the Christians. This was read to the Turkish soldiers, who had been massed at the place from all that part of Asia Minor.

"Before the reading was completed," continued Miss Ely, "as if unable to delay the diabolical deeds, Tahsin Pasha gave the order to 'smite' the Christians. Then followed a scene almost too awful to describe."

The returned missionaries says that it was hard to pick specific instances out of such an inferno of cruelty, but mentioned the following:

"The soldiers would toss children up into the air and catch them on their bayonets when they came down. At other times, they would stand a number of children in a row, each Turk would take a child by the hair, and then they would see which one could cut off his victim's head the quickest. When Tahsin Pasha started out on his mission of butchery he took along with him a large quantity of kerosene oil for the purpose of the removing by fire all vestiges of the disgraceful work which he contemplated. This oil was afterward used to saturate the clothing of living beings, and then a match would be applied."

At this point Miss Charlotte Ely remarked: "I saw one boy with the whole side of his face burned away. He told me that he had been attacked by the Turks and then thrown on a heap of coals, being left for dead."

Miss Ely was asked about the treatment of Armenian women by the soldiers. "The violation of women and girls by the Turks was one of the commonest and one of the worst features of the whole horrible affair. In one instance scores of them were shut up in a church and kept there all night by the soldiers. In the morning they were all murdered. One witness told me he saw the blood flow over the threshold of the building."

COLD-BLOODED DEEDS.

Christians Slaughtered Without Mercy and Dwellings Burned.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs to his paper that the embassies there have learned that in the massacre at Marash on Nov. 18, 1000 persons were killed. The Christian quarters of the town were burned from three points.

A letter received here describing the previous massacre says that before it commenced the town crier ordered the Christians' shops to be opened under a penalty for refusal. It was then the pillage and the murder began. The writer of this letter, who had been a pilo-Turk, adds that there was no sign of either a rising or resistance on the part of the Christians.

The Daily News' correspondent in Constantinople also says that the embassies hear from their consuls that all possibility of rendering assistance to the Sassounites who were the victims of the outrages at that point has been ended, and that the Kurds are whipping them out of existence, and have destroyed all the buildings which have been erected by the expenditure of the English relief fund. A similar story comes from the Van country, where the disturbances continue as badly as ever.

A Vienna dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says that the proposed naval demonstration by the powers against Turkey is now regarded as futile as a restraining influence. The latest news received from the interior of Turkey has a depressing influence on the diplomatic circle. Reports have been received that renewed attempts to massacre the surviving Armenians at Erzroom have resulted in eight being killed. Some of the priests, in sheer despair, are advising their flock to save their lives by embracing Islam.

ITALY'S ATTITUDE.

Discussion of Past Events Cuts No Figure at Present.

ROME, Nov. 29.—Important statements were made in the chamber of deputies last night by Premier Crispi and by Baron Blanc, Italian minister of foreign affairs, concerning questions of Italy's internal and foreign policy, and especially her attitude toward Turkey, and incidentally her attitude to other powers.

Regarding Turkey, the premier said that the powers are in accord, and he was confident that the peace would not be disturbed. If it were disturbed, however, Italy would not repeat her old mistakes, and would see her rights safeguarded.

Baron Blanc, the minister of foreign affairs, followed the premier with a long explanation of the Italian position on the Turkish question. He denied that Italy had attempted any isolated action on this question, and asserted that her endeavors throughout had been devoted to converting concerted action by three powers into concerted action by six powers.

While the European situation was good, the minister went on to say, the condition of affairs in the Turkish provinces remained troubled. The porte had addressed to the powers remarks—if, indeed, they might not be called reproaches—hoping thereby to delay matters at the risk of again aggravating the situation.

"The porte will commit an error," Baron Blanc concluded saying, "if it thinks the present situation can be solved by diplomatic discussions of past events, when we are face to face with the atrocious deeds that have provoked universal horror, and with the peril of latent anarchy, to an outbreak of which at any moment Europe cannot leave herself exposed."

Each foreign squadron in Turkish waters was a door open to civilization and beneficent influences to those obscure regions where mixed races were still deprived of the guarantees promised by Turkey to Europe.

The porte would make a mistake in exercising, even in regard to the additional guardships asked by the powers, the privilege accorded to it by treaties to restrict naval protection in the pacific interests of the powers.

Sultan's Reign Should End.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 29.—Nearly 500 Armenians held impressive services here yesterday out of sorrow for the murdered in their fatherland. A requiem mass was followed by a street parade and speaking in Association hall. Resolutions denouncing all faith in the sultan, and appealing for autonomy under European power and relief for the suffering, were adopted to be sent to the civilized powers of the world. Resolutions thanking the press of the country were adopted.

An Urgent Request.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Rev. Judson Smith, D.D., secretary of the foreign department of the American board of missions, last evening received a cablegram from one of the representatives of the board in Constantinople. It reads: "Induce Red Cross society to enter relief work as in war time. Urgency extreme for action by organization under international protection. Four hundred thousand people destitute. Ordinary channels of relief closed."

Off For Turkey.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The cruiser Minneapolis passed out through the Chesapeake capes at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning, bound for Turkey. She probably will make the trip in about 15 days, touching, perhaps, at Gibraltar for mail.

Dumas Dead.

PARIS, Nov. 27.—Alexandre Dumas died Wednesday evening. He was born in Paris, July 28, 1824, and was the illegitimate son of the famous author of "Monte Cristo," by a girl of obscure origin, and the grandson of General Dumas, who was himself the son of the Marquis de Pailleterie and a full-blooded negress of the island of San Domingo. Dumas, the younger, came naturally by his literary genius, since his father was the creator of at least 100 novels. For 20 years Dumas was one of the "40 immortals," as the members of the French Academy are called.

Caucus of House Republicans.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Eleven of the 23 Republican representatives from the south (excluding Missouri) in the house met last night to determine upon their action respecting their choice of officers for that body. The slate already made up leaves the south without any representation in the elective officers of the house. After considerable discussion, it was resolved to stand by General Henderson of Illinois for the position of clerk, and the surmise is that W. S. Tipton of Tennessee will be supported for the position of sergeant-at-arms.

Was Under Indictment.

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., Nov. 29.—Charles S. Witham, who was under indictment and $5000 bail for killing Dr. Farnsworth at Malden, Mass., died at his father's house in Southport of consumption. He was 35 years old. Last spring Witham met Dr. Farnsworth and fired three shots at him, two of which took effect, and he died from his injuries a few days afterward. At the time it was alleged that Dr. Farnsworth was too intimate with Witham's wife, and was trying to break up Witham's home.

A Hundred Thousand Visitors.

ATLANTA, Nov. 29.—Yesterday was set apart at the exposition as Atlanta and South Carolina day combined, and the prediction that it would be the greatest day in point of attendance in the history of the show was verified. Over 100,000 visitors were in the city, more strangers than were ever in Atlanta before, and the capacity of the turnstiles at the exposition entrances were taxed to the utmost.

Snap For Smugglers.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 29.—The jail is now almost free of smugglers. Two brothers named Powers alone remain in custody, they refusing to withdraw a suit recently entered against the keeper of the penitentiary for a breach of the habeas corpus act. Those released paid half their fines, all of them being supporters of the government. The public condemns this proceeding.

Call For a Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A caucus of the Republican senators will be held after the adjournment of the senate on Monday next. A sufficient number of names have been signed to a call to insure a caucus, which will consider the party policy for the coming session.

Steamer Disabled.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The tank steamer Henri, in ballast, from Antwerp for Philadelphia, sustained considerable damage by having grounded on one of the bars off Sable Island. She will have to go into drydock.

Life Had Lost Its Charms.

HANOVER, N. H., Nov. 29.—Joseph Murdock, a life-long resident of Norwich, Vt., was found hanging from a tree near his house yesterday. He was despondent.

In Express Train's Way.

UXBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29.—John C. Leary, 30 years old, of Millville, was struck by an express train yesterday and instantly killed.

Seamen Eyed With Suspicion.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Captain Wiborg of the Danish steamer Horsa and his first and second mates were arrested yesterday charged with violation of the neutrality laws. The affidavits was made by Dr. Jose Congosto, the Spanish consul, and specifically avers that on Nov. 9, last the defendants set on foot a military expedition to Cuba. The prisoners were held in $1500 bail each for a hearing. Warrants were also issued for the arrest of Captain Svanoe and his two mates of the steamer Leon, on a similar charge.

A Three-Round Battle.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 29.—Jack Ward of Newark knocked "Tug" Snyder of Boston out in three rounds before the Eureka Athletic club last night.

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LOCAL NEWS.

When in doubt, smoke Old Hundred.

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Get all your printing done at THE SUN office.

The men on the street department were paid Wednesday.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Morning Star Temple, I. O. G. T. held an interesting meeting, Wednesday evening.

Putnam & Son presented each of their married employes a Thanksgiving turkey.

The Appleton company is having removed from the Parker block the goods damaged by the recent fire.

Michael Norton fell down a flight of stairs at 186 Church street, yesterday morning, and received several severe cuts. He was taken to St. John's hospital.

The British American association held a concert and dance in Manchester Unity hall, Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance and everybody had a good time.

Fell Down Stairs.

Miss Ethel Paradis of First street, while descending from the gallery of the First Congregational church yesterday morning, fell down a portion of the stairs and received a severe shaking up.

The Banquet Was Postponed.

Dick Bray was to have entertained the employes of the lands and buildings department at the Richardson house, Wednesday evening, but owing to the fact that one member was being married and another had died that day, the affair was postponed.

Hurt in the Hosiery.

A boy about 15 years old, named Waterman, fell down a flight of stairs in the Lawrence hosiery Wednesday afternoon, breaking his nose and sustaining minor hurts. He was taken to the Lowell General hospital.

The Reform Club Entertains Friends.

The Reform club gave a complimentary dance at their hall Wednesday evening and 300 people were present.

John F. Harrigan was general manager, and Thomas A. Nugent was floor director, John M. Hogan was chief of the aids, and Hugh Williams chairman of the reception committee.

A Question For the Commissioners.

The question is being asked by a number of people "Did not the police commissioners make a mistake in their punishment of Officers Grady and Breault?" One of those who ask the question claims that under similar circumstances, police officers in some other city won out in a suit to recover the amount of the fine.

WILLIAM TO JOSEPH.

Mayor Courtney Shakes Mr. Miller's Hand.

Mayor Courtney met his opponent, Joe Miller, in a barber shop Wednesday afternoon.

The mayor never knew who Joseph was till somebody whispered in his ear, "there's Mr. Miller."

Then, when the barber had finished with him, the mayor walked over, introduced himself and shook hands with Mr. Miller. They exchanged a few pleasant words and parted—friends.

PERSONAL.

Miss Robb of Philadelphia is visiting Mrs. Victor L. Cumnock.

The engagement of Miss Bertha Barker to Mr. Fred N. Wier is announced.

Mrs. George Jewett of Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting Mrs. A. S. Adams of Highland street.

Walter Knowles of the Highland military academy, Worcester is spending a few days at his home in this city. Mr. Dickson of the same institution is his guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace C. Lambert, who left the city for a new home in Somerville after their marriage, had a very successful reception yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Lambert, 283 Pawtucket street.

The wedding of Miss Mary G. Sawyer and Mr. Charles L. Knapp is announced to take place at the residence of Mr. Hamilton J. Sawyer the father of Miss Sawyer, in Butterfield street, on the afternoon of December 10th.

BOWLING NEWS.

The Vespers were beaten Wednesday night. The Salem club put up a great score on its own alleys, and defeated the champions by 350 pins. It was a game of high scores for the Salems as the following totals will show:

Salems—Broadway 548, Hay 565, Hull 545, Carter 525, Brophy 628; total 2811.

Vespers—Swift 484, Grover 599, Perley 417, Dahlberg 501, Bean 400; total 2401.

Middlesex Team Wins Again.

The Middlesex team of the Merrimack Valley league has a knack of getting a lead in a game that is difficult to overcome. Wednesday night the team was pitted against the Lawrences on Les Miserables alleys and put up a good score. The totals:

Middlesex—Morse 493, Gregory 560, Halstead 474, Clegston 523, Rogers 476; total 2526.

Lawrence—Eastman 470, Lanigan 435, Hanley 478, Robinson 523, Bruce 604; total 2500.

Highland Club Tournament.

At the Highland club Wednesday night Team Two defeated Team Three after this fashion:

Team 2—Sturtevant 456, Hartwell 552, Pratt 441, Coburn 425, Barclay 407; total 2281.

Team 3—Sherburne 506, Wilson 450, Ranlett 477, Carter 406, Kilgore 332, total 2221.

The Policeman at it.

A team from the 6.10 shift bowled a team of coppers from the 12.30 shift, Wednesday, and the latter won by the following score:

12.30 shift—Brosnan 467, Breault 460, Welch 374, Lieghton 410, Hurley 499 total 2216.

6 10 shift—Maher 460, Swan 438 Burnett 402, Ryan 446, Donaldson 446; total 2153.

The Butcher's Tournament.

Jewett & Swift's team took a game from the Old Guards on the Olympic alleys last evening. The score:

Jewett & Swift—Sheehy 487, Saunders 467, Brondbent 481, Chichen 549, Clark 462; total 2446.

Old Guards—Gray 456, McKellop 388, McSorley 487, Ryan 485, Saunders 470; total 2286.

Highland Club Bowlers.

Team ten won from Team seven in the tournament game last night by the following totals:

Team 10—Dearborn 520, Kittredge 494, G. F. Stiles 434, Church 480, Alley 420; total 2348.

Team 7—Anderson 490, Snyder 439, Jones 399, Gaylor 465, A. B. Leighton 420; total 2222.

Who does your printing? THE SUN job print would do it well, and save you money.

Almost Incredible.

A Professional Nurse Afflicted With Bright's Disease of the Kidneys Finds a Cure.

(From the Buffalo News.)

Mrs. A. E. Taylor has resided in Buffalo for over 40 years, her address is 250 Herkimer avenue, as a professional nurse, she has nursed back to health many a sufferer. Disease in all its varied form, have become as familiar to her as to the regular practitioner. Her occupation is one that taxes the strongest constitution, but the fatigue of long watching and nursing at last brought her to a bed of sickness. Mrs. Taylor speaks of her complaint and cure as follows: "After being confined to my bed for some time my disease assumed such a serious aspect that a doctor was called in. He pronounced my ailment Bright's disease of kidneys in the third degree and a very bad case. My limbs swelled up so that I could not walk across the floor, or, indeed, help myself in any way. My face bloated up and my eyes swelled so that the sight was badly impaired. This condition continued for nearly two months without any marked improvement from the doctor's treatment. I have taken quarts of buchu and juniper. I tried battery treatment, but all without any lasting benefit, until I felt like finally giving up in despair. Hearing of Doan's Kidney pills I gave them a trial, and after taking three boxes I was able to get up without assistance and walk, something I had not done in months. I continued steadily to improve with their use. The swelling in my leg left, the color returned to my face, changing from a chalky color to a healthy bloom. I now consider myself entirely cured and I shall never restpraising the little pill that saved me.

"Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly a surprising discovery for kidney ailments. I shall be glad to tell anyone of the wonderful cure they performed on me.

For sale by all dealers—Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. Charles D. Foley of the lands and buildings department and Miss Sabina F. Dowd, sister of ex-City Clerk Dowd, were united in marriage at St. Patrick's parochial residence, Wednesday evening, by Rev. D. J. Gleason.

Michael J. Burns was best man and Miss Celia Dowd was bridesmaid.

The bride's dress was of white lansdown with chiffon and pearl trimmings. The bridesmaid wore a gown with velvet figures and chiffon trimmings.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride in Dane Street avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Foley have gone on a wedding tour and on their return will reside at 37 Newhall street.

De Wert-Cullen.

Mr. Walter De Wert and Miss Maggie V. Cullen were united in marriage at the parochial residence of the church of the Immaculate Conception Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Fr. Joyce.

The bride, gowned in blue silk, trimmed with chiffon lace and carrying white roses was attended by Miss Lizzie Kenney as bridesmaid. William Stanfig was best man.

The happy couple are enjoying their honeymoon in New York.

Flaherty-Hines.

At the Immaculate Conception church, Wednesday, Mr. Patrick Flaherty of Manchester was united in marriage to Miss Katie Hines of this city. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. The bride's gown was of fawn colored silk. From 10 to 12, the reception was held at the home of the bride's cousin at Concord and Sherman streets. Mr. and Mrs. Flaherty will be at home after Dec. 10, at 304 Main street, Manchester.

Paasche-Figved.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Paasche in Chelmsford, Wednesday forenoon, at 11 o'clock in the presence of family friends only, Mr. P. Justin Paasche and Miss Marie J. Figved, both of Boston, were united in marriage by Rev. Wilson Waters, rector of All Saints' church. The bridegroom is a brother of Mrs. Alfred Paasche, and holds a responsible position in the office of the Cunard steamship company.

Fox-Woodworth.

At 288 East Merrimack street, Nov. 27, Miss Myrtle A. Woodworth was united in wedlock to Mr. Samuel Fox, in the presence of a few relatives and friends. Rev. Dr. Court performed the ceremony. Miss Annie Fox was bridesmaid and Mr. Geo. Fox was best man. The happy pair left Lowell by the 6.24 p. m. train for a short bridal tour.

Hancock-Hunt.

At 13 Watson avenue, November 27, Mr. James W. Hancock and Miss Louisa M. Hunt were united in marriage by the Rev. Robert Court, D. D., in the presence of relatives and friends. Miss Bertha M. Hancock was bridesmaid and Mr. Isaac R. Cox was best man. The gifts were numerous and valuable.

Farrell-Knox.

At the Presbyterian parsonage, Appleton street, November 27, Mr. Albert E. Farrell and Miss Nellie E. Knox were married by Rev. Dr. Robert Court.

Saunders-Titcomb.

A pretty Thanksgiving wedding occurred yesterday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Saunders at 119 Middlesex street. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank W. Saunders and Miss Florence Sadie Titcomb. Rev. W. W. Harris performed the ceremony and was assisted by Rev. Mr. Stratton.

The bride wore a gown of old rose radamar silk, with iridiscent trimmings, and white slippers. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses.

The bridesmaid was dressed in a gown of steel blue silk, trimmed with jet garniture with white corsage and slippers. Her bouquet was of pink roses.

A reception was held after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders have gone on a wedding tour and on their return will reside at 119 Middlesex street.

Sullivan-Flanagan.

The marriage of Mr. David Sullivan, of the well known firm of Barney & Co. and Miss Mary A Flanagan, the popular young reader, was solemnized at St. Peter's parsonage, Thanksgiving eve, Rev. Fr. McManus performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Conners and William F. Sullivan was the best man. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride on Westford street where a reception was held, at which many friends of the young couple tendered their congratulations. During the evening an elaborate wedding supper was served, after which a delightful social time led up to the departure of the happy couple on their honeymoon, which will include a tour of New York and Washington. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan will reside at 217 Appleton street. The wedding gifts were magnificent and in abundance. Seldom has it been the good fortune of a young couple in private life to receive such a great variety of presents, which included about everything necessary to begin housekeeping. They are a popular young couple and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

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FOOTBALL PLAYED YESTERDAY

GAMES ALL OVER THE COUNTRY AND RESULT.

Some Rough Features Noted in the Number of Wounded.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The football game between Boston and Chicago athletic clubs resulted in a tie after the hardest battle ever fought in the west. Score, 4 to 4.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The Boston university and Boston college football game yesterday was one of the fiercest slugging matches ever seen in this city, and a number of players on both sides were maimed and bruised. Brewin, fullback of Boston college, was carried unconscious from the field, suffering from a broken rib and probable internal injuries. Brock, a university substitute, was also badly injured, and is in a critical condition. Two others were badly hurt. Boston university won—22 to 0.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The University of Pennsylvania football eleven yesterday defeated the Cornell team by the score of 48 to 2, thus winding up the football season with a clean record of victories to her credit.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—The victory of Brown over Dartmouth by a score of 10 to 4 yesterday places Brown in the third place in the football series of New England colleges.

RICHMOND, Nov. 29.—The University of Virginia won the championship of the south yesterday by defeating the University of North Carolina 6 to 0.

At San Francisco—Stanford university, 6; University of California, 6.

At Rochester—Hamilton college, 12; University of Rochester, 0.

At Lancaster, Pa.—Franklin and Marshall, 38; Swarthmore, 0.

At Kansas City—Missouri university, 10; Kansas university, 6.

At Chicago—University of Michigan, 12; University of Chicago, 0.

At New Haven—Yale freshmen, 16; Princeton freshmen, 6.

At Cleveland—Pennsylvania State college, 8; Adelbert, 8.

At Columbus, O.—Ohio 'varsity, 12; Kenyon college, 10.

At Boston—Boston university, 22; Boston college, 0.

At Louisville—Louisville A. C., 12; Depauw, 10.

At Baltimore—Lehigh, 10; Baltimore A. C., 0.

At New York—Indian school, 16; Y. M. C. A., 4.

Lowered by Fifty Seconds.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 29.—Senn last night broke the five-mile, indoors, paced record of the world, made at Madison Square Garden, by 60s. He made the distance in 12m. 1-5s.

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OUR NAVY.

Conclusions Arrived at by Professor Hollis, Ex-Chief Engineer.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29.—Professor Ira N. Hollis of Harvard university, and formerly chief engineer of the United States navy, was seen last night in regard to his statements relative to the present condition of the navy. He said:

"To say that the present condition of the navy is a disgrace to this country is a pretty sweeping remark for a man to make. What I mean is that judging from the navy reports I consider certain things in the department a disgrace to the navy. Secretary Herbert is making a plea for the half of the navy that does not need it, really the men of the line, while the engineer corps, which needs building up, are neglected.

"Just look in Chief Engineer Melville's reports. They have constantly been reducing the engineer service. Just after the war we had ships that cost $250,000, with $75,000 worth of machinery. Now we have ships costing $3,000,000, and the machinery costing $1,000,000, and yet the engineer corps, instead of having been increased, has been reduced. As the engineer's reports show, over and over again, the corps is inadequate in numbers. Several years ago a slight collision occurred (the Baltimore), which was directly traceable to lack of sufficient engineer officers.

"From my own personal experience, and I was 19 years in the service, I can corroborate the testimony of the engineer-in-chief. The navy is now run by a clique of the men of the line in Washington. I and many others have felt called upon to resign on account of the way the engineer corps were treated. I deeply regret the condition in which the navy appears to be today, but I honestly think that in case of war we would find ourselves next to useless on the water."

Perryman Off.

EUFAULA, I. T., Nov. 29.—The long-drawn-out impeachment proceedings against L. C. Perryman, the retiring chief of the Creek nation, terminated in his conviction of maladministration in office. The only penalty is incapacity for holding office.

Brazil's Loss.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 29.—The Brazilian cruiser Uranus has been wrecked, the commander and five of the crew being drowned.

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A GLORIOUS DAY

Was Thanksgiving as Observed Here Yesterday.

IT WAS A DAY OF REAL THANKSGIVING:

Account of the Features of the Observance.

Yesterday was one of the most delightful Thanksgiving days enjoyed for many years. The sky was clear and the sun shone with a warmth unusual at this season. The vast number of people who were seen along the streets in carriages, on foot and on bicycles gave evidence of the general enjoyment of the day. In Lowell the sports were few and it is gratifying to note that the observance was marked by no crime, no bad accident, no debauchery. It was really a day of Thanksgiving by all the people.

At the Lowell Jail

The prisoners at the Lowell jail had their turkey yesterday. They did not sit around tables and chat merrily as they ate Thanksgiving dinner. Instead, each prisoner relished turkey in his own little cell. After dinner, the men were allowed the freedom of the yard.

At the City Farm.

Supt. Collins gave his inmates a real old turkey dinner yesterday. All the "fixins" went with the bird. In the afternoon the men were allowed to play hand-ball and foot-ball in the yard.

The Truants Had a Good Time.

Up at the truant school, Supt. Warren saw to it that his charges enjoyed themselves. The little fellows had a fine dinner, and they were allowed to play around at will.

Burkes' Bachelor Party.

The Burkes held a Batchelor party last evening complimentary to members and lady friends. There was an attendance of about 400, and the Columbian orchestra furnished music for dancing till 12 o'clock. John P. Farley was general manager; assistant, Frank Clarke; floor director, John Coughlin; assistant, Michael Markham; aids Edward Lowney, John Cox, Wm. McCarthy, Wm. Daly, James Redmond and James McGarrahan.

Their First Was a Success.

The members of the Winchester social club gave their first annual assembly in Runel's block last evening and thirty or more couples were present. The floor officers were Thomas Clark, floor director; James McHale, assistant, Edward Skee, general manager; Michael Gaffney, assistant, aid, John McHale.

Thanksgiving Y. M. C. A. Dinner.

The annual Thanksgiving dinner for young men away from home was held yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. hall and was a great success. The dinner occurred at 7 o'clock and 200 plates were laid. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Denney. The dinner occupied an hour and at its conclusion Director J. Edward Gibson called to order and remarks were made by Director Floyd, Secretary Jones, Physical Director Kable, with music interspersed by the Lyceum orchestra.

The efficient committee of arrangements consisted of Mrs. H. C. Fuller, chairman; Mrs. A. C. Russell, Mrs. O. H. Denney, Mrs. J. E. Gibson, Mrs. T. W. Greenslitt, Mrs. J. W. Coburn, Mrs. W. Gilman and Miss Mattie Buttrick.

The young ladies who acted as waitresses were Misses Estella Conrad, Lillian McKewin, Gertrude Boothby, May and Laura Cummings, Grace Blodgett, Corinna Cover, Nellie Loring, Helen Bradford, Mary R. Kerr, Josephine Webster, Evelyn Wilson, Cora Hayes, Nellie Morrison, Etta Rutherford, Grace Bachelder and Lilia Sturtevant.

Ippos Played Football.

The Ippos defeated a team from the South common at football yesterday the battle taking place on the Atherton grounds. The final score stood 14 to 0 in favor of the Ippos. The line up was as follows:

IPPOS.		COMMONS.
Melklejohn	f. b.	Bean
H. Crosby	l. b.	Farley
Shepard	q. b.	Crawford
Hindle	r. b.	Coughlin
Hallowell	l. e.	Daly
Davis	l. t.	Kelley
Hodgman	l. g.	Smith
B. Crosby	c.	Delehanty
Drayton	r. g.	Kelliher
Rhodes	r. t.	Regan
Whittaker	r. e.	Qualey

Touchdowns—Hindle, Shepard; umpire, B. Dixon; goals from touchdowns, Melklejohn 2; linesman, Townsend; one safety for the Ippos.

THE FIREMEN'S BALL.

A Most Enjoyable Occasion with a Large Attendance.

The fire laddies were out in all their glory Wednesday night, the occasion being their annual ball in aid of the firemen's fund, held in Huntington hall.

Fortunately there were no alarms and the fun went on uninterrupted until the early hours. The hall was prettily decorated with bunting by Young while McMannon had artistic floral decorations on the stage.

From 8 until 9 the American orchestra entertained the audience with some of the latest musical compositions.

The concert over, neat dance orders were distributed. Then the orchestra struck up a Wagnerian march and Chief Hosmer with his daughter, Miss Emma Hosmer, led off, Mayor Courtney and Miss Smith followed and then came one hundred or more couples.

After the march general dancing was enjoyed the floor being crowded until quite late.

Chief Hosmer made a courteous general manager and first assistant engineer J. F. Norton knew his business as floor director. His aids were:

J. W. Jantzen, Fred Boynton, B. C. Reed, J. J. Quinlan, J. H. Joyce, E. F. Walsh, Charles Riley, B. J. Dunn, G. H. Chapman, J. J. McCafferty, J. F. Welch, J. J. Donohoe, C. A. Thompson, H. A. Merrill, H. B. Downs, W. H. Halstead.

On the committee on arrangements were the chief, J. F. Norton, Charles Stackpole, W. A. Dolan, Capt. S. E. Bartlett, J. F. McKissock.

These gentlemen were on the reception committee: Mayor, Wm. F. Courtney, ex-Mayor C. D. Palmer, Alderman Geo. H. Tryder, Alderman Wm. L. Hills, Councilman Edward T. Goward, Councilman James F. Miskella, Councilman Patrick H. Barry, ex-Alderman Geo. C. Evans, ex-Alderman Peter H. Donahoe, ex-Alderman Watson A. Dickinson, Engineer Geo. F. Salmon, Engineer Edward Meloy, Engineer Henry W. Burton.

Chris. Holmes' Capes.

POLICE NOTES.

Mathew Ford and Elmer Black, the two escaped convicts from the reformatory, were captured in Nashua, Tuesday evening, by Deputy Marshal Wheeler, Inspector Flood and Special Officer Hammel. They had tramped from Concord through Lowell to Nashua.

The Festive Bird Was Not Raffled.

The police, acting under instructions from headquarters, put a damper on the time honored raffles of turkeys, pigs, etc., and consequently there was much fun missed by the many who went to participate in such sports.

MUNICIPAL NOTES.

The committee on streets will meet Monday afternoon and evening.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN.

Thanksgiving Sport of Y. M. C. A. Physical Department Was Successful.

The annual cross-country run under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. was held yesterday morning and was successful.

The five mile race started from the gymnasium shortly after 10 o'clock. The handicap limit was five minutes, and Sumner Williams and A. T. Howe were the only men who started at this time. The other contestants were John McKinley, 4 m. 30 secs.; H. L. Gardner, 4m.; George Don, 3m. 30 sec.; H. L. Royer, B. Jacob and O. M. Kimball, 3m.; O. McFarland, 2m. 30 sec.; C. L. Pingree, 1m. 30 sec.; M. Casey and M. L. Muzzey, 1 m.; and J. Cameron and Frank Stevens, scratch.

Howe kept the lead to the finish. The other limit man, Sumner Williams, came in third, and McKinley came in second. Muzzey, a one minute man came in fourth and captured the time prize as well as fourth prize. His time was 28 minutes, 40 seconds. Howe's time was 29 minutes, 45 seconds.

The other event was the half mile handicap, which was raced on the boulevard. The competitors were F. B. Looney and W. B. Thayer on scratch; F. G. Parks, 45 yards; E. C. Looney and M. Casey, 50 yards; W. L. Muzzey, 60 yards; J. G. Lee, 80 yards; and S. Murphy and E. McNally, 100 yards. Again a limit man, McNally, won first prize; Lee got second; E. C. Looney got third place, and F. B. Looney got fourth place and time prize. His time was 2 min, 10 seconds.

Quite a Move.

The overcoat buyers will no doubt be quite interested in the fact that O'Hearn & Dowd today offer their $25, $30 and $35 overcoats at $20 each. It is the earliest move on record and possibly the biggest in price cutting. The regular sizes can be found among their assortment as well as all sizes at $6, $8, $10, $12, $15 and $20, their regular lines. After this sale the firm say they have other surprises in store for the public. A big window display of the best goods is made by the firm in the old post office.

Chris. Holmes' Furs.

Mr. O'Neil Declines.

Thomas O'Neil, who was nominated for alderman by the democrats, has declined.

Ira E. Shaw, one of the republican nominees, has also withdrawn his name from the ticket and Councilman Oliver has been nominated in his place.

Over in Ward six George A. Clark has declined the nomination of overseer of the poor.

Shannon-Hunt.

Mr. Luke Shannon and Miss Katie Hunt were married on Wednesday evening at St. Peter's parochial residence by Rev. Fr. McKenna. Miss Sarah Hunt was bridesmaid and Mr. John E. Maguire was best man. The bride and bridesmaid were attired in white henrietta and each carried a bouquet of roses. There was an abundance of costly and useful articles from relatives and friends. Refreshments were served at the residence of the bride 505 Lawrence street.

GOV. GREENHALGE

Joined in Union Thanksgiving Service,

AT THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH YESTERDAY.

His Reasons Why Citizens Should Be Thankful.

Gov. Greenhalge yesterday practised what he preached in his Thanksgiving proclamation.

In the First Congregational church in the presence of a congregation that crowded the large edifice and surrounded by a number of clergymen he delivered an address on "The Citizen and Thanksgiving."

The large platform was draped with the American flag and profusely decorated with pinks, chrysanthemums and evergreens.

Rev. Dr. Seymour opened the service and Rev. G. C. Wright read scripture. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. M. Greene, D. D., and Rev. C. M. Hall of the Central M. E. church spoke on "The Christian and Thanksgiving."

Rev. Dr. Seymour then introduced the governor, who said in substance:

"You have heard the subject assigned upon which a few words are expected from me. You remember also the subject assigned to the preceding speaker, upon which he has made so forcible and eloquent an address; but I declare that I do not see any practical difference between the two subjects, "The Christian and Thanksgiving" and "The Citizen and Thanksgiving." It seems to me my friends, that the two topics are identical, or, if they are not, they ought to be; that the Christian ought to be a citizen, and the citizen ought to be a Christian. If we view the practical work of the Christian, we shall find him doing practical substantial work as a citizen. If we find the citizen doing his full duty to the Commonwealth, not by loud proclamations, but in real active work, we shall find the citizen prominent in the work of the church. So I say, we ought to be thankful to realize the indissoluble bond, the unmistakable identity between the Christian and the citizen.

We have a right to be thankful in the first place here, my friends, for this beautiful day. I do not imagine that because one day out of three hundred sixty-five and one-fourth was set apart by the Pilgrim Fathers, that they meant the other three hundred sixty-four and one-fourth should be given up to repining, to complaint, to fault finding and to criticism and censure, and yet it must be remembered when we find so many who are eager to criticise throughout the year, that some people are never really happy unless they have an opportunity to find fault with something or other. As the gloomy members of the ancient colony sometimes missed God's smile to catch his frown, so it is that for the great part of the year the ninety-five per cent. of good is lost sight of and the five per cent. of failure and evil unduly and disproportionately magnified. So it may be well, my friends, to come here on this holy day and take an account of stock and see if the fault-finders are justified, and if it is not true that we who with full hearts return thanks to Almighty God are justified in our actions.

I say we are bound to return thanks, in the first place, for this, God's day, with its sunshine and its beauty. Why, it seems as if autumn in all her robes of loveliness were pausing to deliver a sweet farewell, while winter, clad in icy mail like a grim knight, still had courtesy enough to allow her to pass away forever, and we get the beauty of autumn with scarcely a suggestion of the winter that is at hand. So I say, even in this outward manifestation of the beauty of the Lord, we are called upon for gratitude.

And then the fathers believed in publicly coming together and rendering thanks to the Almighty Father for the mercies which he had given and for the misfortunes which he had spared them.

As Massachusetts kneels today in her robes of splendor and majesty, she does it not in the spirit of the Pharisee, thanking God she is not as others are; she kneels there with all the traditional grandeur about her, and with the jewels of Atlanta just won, and yet not in a spirit of vain glory, not in a spirit of pride or boastfulness, but in the spirit of devout thankfulness to the God of the fathers, who has been with the children as He was with them.

This is a christian commonwealth. It has been from the beginning, and yet freedom, civil and religious, has been the very key note, the very divine music which has sounded from the beginning, when they united upon the desolate sea shore, down to this Thanksgiving day of 1895. And we have a right to thank God today because, other things being equal, the citizen of Massachusetts has more opportunity to follow out his way of everlasting life, to get more out of life, which is a suggestion of immoratality, we believe, than the citizens of any other commonwealth in the world. Our institutions are based upon that principle, the right of education, God given. And I take special pride in assuring those who are doubtful or faint-hearted, that the system of public education in Massachusetts is the foundation stone which has just received its reward.

The last speaker was Rev. J. O. Campbell.

The Foresters' Danced.

The Foresters' and their friends danced away the hours of Thanksgiving eve at their hall in Pollard's block. The order contained 25 numbers and the majority of the dancers waited till the last number was finished.

The officers were: John A. O'Hearn, general manager, Thomas A. Green, floor marshal; Thomas F. Quinn, chief of 20 aids; L. J. Smith, chairman of a reception committee of 40.

During the intermission there was Irish reel and jig dancing.

Mr. Hurtubise a Candidate.

John B. Hurtubise has been nominated for the council in Ward one in place of Edward T. Goward who declined to stand.

The name of James F. Puffer has been placed on the ticket for overseer of the poor in Ward six, George A. Clark having declined.

In Ward five Anders Thomasson is the republican candidate for overseer of the poor.

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LATEST

DAMAGE BY HIGH WATER.

Derricks Thrown Down at New Moody Street Bridge—More Damage Threatened.

The continued rains caused the Merrimack river to rise considerably last night and this morning. This morning was a trifle cooler than a spring day, but it did not hinder many people from visiting Pawtucket bridge to witness the small-sized flood as it passed over Pawtucket falls.

At the Moody street bridge location the water threw down derricks, and unless the flood decreases in the night it will cause an increased delay in the work of stone laying for the foundation. At the meeting of the committee on streets Wednesday afternoon it was voted to grant William H. Ward further time for the work.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

Three nights commencing Monday, Dec. 2nd, with Wednesday matinee. The Philadelphia Item says: "It is a great show," that was the unanimous verdict of the crowd that surged from the doors last night at the Lyceum theatre. The farce "Entitled College Days" with which the entertainment begins, is a scene of beauty, embellished by good singing, chaste and elegant ward robe shapely forms and winsome faces, the graceful dances introduced in this act are praiseworthy. The act ends with a very funny tableaux. Beautiful still, in the olio are some of the highest salaried artists in the Vaudeville profession, notable among which are the original Watson Sisters in their electrical creation, Triangular Giratorio, the most marvelous aerial act ever witnessed, the performance concludes with the funniest burlesque extant, introducing the clever Irish comedian, Mr. J. Vincent Bryce. See ad.

Y. M. C. I. DRAMATICS.

Out of the Shadows Produced With Fine Effect.

The dramatic club of the Y. M. C. I. gave three fine productions of the emotional drama, "Out of the Shadows," Wednesday evening, yesterday afternoon and evening. The Immaculate Conception school hall was crowded at all three performances.

The characters were as follows: Frederick Waldermar, a manufacturer, Mr. E. F. Shea, Johann Ramenoff, an outcast and ex-convict, Mr. J. E. Leary; Myron Arnold, Isabel's father, Mr. A. McQuade; Capt. Kendrick Arnold, her brother, Mr. T. F. Tobin; Lieut. Arthur Manley, Mr. J. P. Cox; James, family servant, Mr. J. H. Payne; Isabel, Waldermar's wife, Miss Nellie McGrade; Edith, her adopted daughter, Miss Annie Conlon; Mamie, their child, Miss Mamie McOsker.

The play was interesting from start to finish and the efforts of the amateurs were warmly applauded. Incidental to the play there was singing by the Y. M. C. I. double quartet.

VARNUM'S AXE FALLS.

And a Friend of Cookoo Delehanty Gets a Place.

Supt. Varnum's hatchet fell again Tuesday, and the "cookoo" Delehanty landed.

Two faithful employes of the lands and buildings department, Joseph Convery and Patrick Grady, were allowed to go, and in the latter's place was put one of Delehanty's brothers.

"Joe" Convery is known to about every one in the city as a skilled mechanic and a good workman. He has been employed in the department for a long time.

Mr. Grady, according to Supt. Varnum, is also a faithful employe, but had to walk the plank to make room for Delehanty.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL.

Played Yesterday Forenoon at the Fair Grounds.

The Lowell and Haverhill teams played a game of foot ball at the Fair grounds yesterday forenoon. The audience was not as large as if the game had been in the afternoon.

Each team had "ringers" with it but nevertheless Lowell won out easily. Banks made the only goal and touchdowns were made by Tuttle and Herrick. Banks failed to kick a goal on his second chance and Tuttle did on his first. The line up.

LOWELL.		HAVERHILL.
Bagshaw	r. e.	Homans
Pinisted / Evans	r. t.	O'Conners
Nesmith	r. g.	Walker
Herrick	c.	Connor
Tuttle / Butler	l. g.	Carson
Pindar / Eastman	l. t.	Sprague
Benoit	q. b.	Wilders
Bowen / Leahy	l. h.	Gilmore
Wright	r. h.	Wright
Banks	f. b.	Ross
Burke	l. e.	Tucke

Special Meeting of the Aldermen.

Mayor Courtney has called a special meeting of the board of aldermen for this evening, to draw jurors.

Pure Blood

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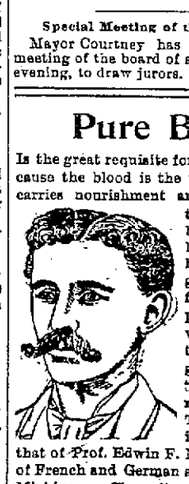

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Is the only True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye today.

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FUNERAL SERVICES.

BUTLER—The remains the late Thomas H. Butler, the popular employe of the lands and buildings department, were consigned to their last resting place in the Catholic cemetery, yesterday afternoon, with simple religious services and in the presence of a great concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

The deceased had an extensive acquaintance in the city, particularly in old ward one, where he was a prime favorite and his death in the prime of life is greatly mourned.

Previous to the hour of the funeral the residence was visited by hundreds who looked for the last time upon the face of their deceased friend, and the funeral was unusually large for a young man in private life.

There were no services at the church, but at the graveside Rev. Fr. Gleason of St. Patrick's church, where deceased was a faithful attendant, read the committal service.

The bearers were Councilman Mansfield, Michael J. Garvey, Daniel J. Crowley, James H. Kennedy, Patrick Collins and Joseph F. Convery. Among those present at the funeral were many citizens prominent in public and private life, including the Ward one members of the common council.

INESON—The funeral of Scholes Ineson was held at 17 South Whipple street, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Kival officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Blackmer, Whitaker, Whittier, and Langly. Interment was in Edson cemetery.

BUTTERS—The funeral of Mary, wife of George Butters, was held at East Chelmsford Tuesday at 1 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Seymour officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Atwood, Severence, Pierce and Fuller. The interment was in the Edson cemetery.

FALLON—St. Patrick's church was crowded this morning with friends and relatives of the late Ann Fallon, where services were held for the repose of her soul. A high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Gleason. The choir directed by E. F. Faulkner rendered Schmidt's requiem mass.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Mathew Murtha, Patrick Skiffington, Michael Skiffington, Frank Riley, John Dugan and Peter Fitzgerald. After the service the funeral cortege, which was a very long one, proceeded to the Catholic cemetery where the interment took place. Deceased was an old member of St. Patrick's parish and was well acquainted among the older residents.

O'CONNELL—The funeral of the late Mary O'Connell occurred from her home in Railroad street, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and was largely attended. Requiem was sung in St. Patrick's church and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery, J. F. Rogers in charge.

MORAN—The funeral of the late John Moran who was fatally injured Tuesday night occurred from the Sacred Heart church yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and was very largely attended. Requiem mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O. M. I., and the committal service was read Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I. The bearers were Messrs. Michael McCue, Dennis Healey, and James McCusker of Court Columbus, of which deceased was a popular member. Fred Vinal, engineer of the locomotive on which deceased was employed, John J. Mahoney and James McGuane. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Rogers and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

LOCAL NOTES.

The Y.W.C.A. entertained a number of young ladies at its rooms last evening.

Victoria lodge, Manchester Unity, Odd Ladies, held a concert in the M. U. hall last evening.

The French people of the Central M. E. church held a concert in the church vestry last night which was well attended.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Duune, of Springfield, passed Thanksgiving in this city as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Walker of Hanks street.

Miss Louise Imogene Guiney, the poetess, spent Thanksgiving in this city as the guest of her uncle, William Guiney, of Wilder street.

The Chelmsford Coons held their annual merry-making in the Chelmsford town hall last night. The Coons and their friends danced and enjoyed themselves as only happy people can.

The F. C. and F. H. club gave its first sunlight and ball at Associate hall yesterday afternoon and evening. A long order of dances was the program at both meetings of the club. Hibbard's orchestra furnished the music.

Mr. J. C. Dunbar, a Boston showman, is in town to-day looking over the field for a "continuous performance" theatre, to be run on the plan of Keiths. Mr. Dunbar was formerly manager for Keith and at present runs theatres in Fall River and Salem.

Some people wonder how it is that the Merrimack Clothing Co. is disposing of so large a number of overcoats. The reason is that they not only look well and fit well but wear well. If you want to be one of the best dressed men in the city call at the Merrimack Clothing Company's store.

Louis M. Lemerise, Esq., the well known young French attorney entertained a party of gentlemen friends at his home on Moody street, yesterday afternoon. An elaborate spread was served which included that famous Thanksgiving dish "cochon" with all its palatable "fixins." A fine time was enjoyed by all. Mayor Courtney was one of the guests.

PAWTUCKET STREET CROSSING.

The Danger Removed But the Thoroughfare Destroyed.

The railroad tracks between Wilder street and Pawtucket street have been lowered several feet and a bridge is to be built across there near the junction of Pawtucket and Middlesex streets. It will be so high that very few teams will care to cross it. The danger of the crossing will be removed but that part of Pawtucket street, as a public highway, will practically be destroyed.

St. Anne's Mission.

The ninth annual concert and sale in aid of St. Anne's Mission was held in the Talbot Memorial hall, North Billerica, last evening, and it was a pronounced success. The entertainment included the presentation of two delightful operettas and musical and literary selections by Lowell talent.

That North Billerica Road.

The county commissioners gave a hearing this morning at the court house in regard to the new road from North Billerica to Lowell.

George H. Richardson appeared for the railroad and objected to paying a share in carrying the new road over the tracks. The hearing was postponed to December 19th.

Chris. Holmes' Mackintoshes.

THE SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

CARDINALS MADE

Mgr. Satolli Officially Promoted to Cardinalate.

HOLY FATHER PRESIDED AT CONSISTORY TODAY.

Eight Others Also Receive the Red Hat.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROME, Nov. 29—The pope today presided at a consistory and appointed nine new cardinals, one of them being Monsignor Satolli of this country. The others were the Archbishops of Lamberg, Salsburg, Valladolid and Bourges, Mgr. Goth of Brazil and the bishops of Autumergal and Ancola.

BIG STEAMSHIP POOL.

Trans-Atlantic Lines Will Endeavor to Advance Rates.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—A local paper states the Cunard, White Star, Allan and State lines of steamships have entered a pool similar to the railroad pool for the purpose of raising the rates of passage. The steerage will be considered first.

TURKEY STILL LIVES

Though Great Britain May Roast Her in a Day or Two.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 29—The situation is grave, and within a day or two, either the Sultan or the British Ambassador must give. The Ambassador asked the Sultan for an order allowing an extra gunboat to run through the Dardanelles and the Sultan refused.

The gunboat will arrive within 24 hours and the British ambassador will have either to back down or force a passage. He has cabled for special instructions from his government.

Volunteers Against Cuba.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

MADRID, Nov. 29.—Six thousand Spanish residents of Algeria have volunteered their services with the troops in Cuba.

A New Minister to U. S.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

LISBON, Nov. 29.—Senor Cynlonachado has been appointed Portuguese minister to the United States.

Two Sailors Asphyxiated.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Two sailors supposed to belong to the steamer Egyptian were found dead in a room this morning. They were asphyxiated.

The Next Prohib. Convention.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The national committee of the prohibition party will meet here on Dec. 11 to decide upon a place to hold the next national convention. Chicago, Cleveland, Baltimore and Des Monses are after it. The question of fusion with the populists will be considered.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all Try us.

WRIT OF INJUNCTION SERVED

TO PREVENT MAYOR COURTNEY FROM SIGNING CONTRACT.

For the Moody Street Bridge—May Cause Delay But Nothing More.

Writs of injunction were served yesterday afternoon to prevent Mayor Courtney from signing the contract for the building of the iron work on the Moody street bridge.

The writs were served on William E. Courtney, mayor; Charles F. Coburn, city treasurer; Daniel F. Varnum, Frederick J. Flemings, Hugh Maguire, Jr., Joseph H. Gormley, John E. Sullivan, Charles Riley, George W. Hartwell, members of the joint standing committee on streets; and George Bowers, city engineer.

The sleuers of the complaint are E. Gardield Baker, Henry C. Dexter, Freeman A. Lewis, C. Frank Durrell, Jacob Baron, William Clifford, George A. Skinner, William Mack, Thomas E. Adams, Gilbert P. Drewett.

The hearing will be held in the Superior court at Cambridge the first Monday in January.

A Clergyman Fell Dead.

During the marriage of Rev. C. E. Amaron formerly of this city and Miss Lynch of Montreal, in the latter city Wednesday, Thomas Patton, the bride's uncle fell dead.

Dinner Sets

and other Thanksgiving supplies marked away down. See our show windows before purchasing. The U. S. Tea Co., other corner of Central and Prescott street.

HOW TO DETECT GRIP.

You May Tell From the Appearance of Your Tongue if You Have It.

As the season for the grip is approaching it is interesting to know of a discovery recently made by an English physician by which any one may tell whether or not he has been attacked by the malady. The physician is Dr. John Torry, resident medical officer of the Royal Surrey County hospital.

Dr. Terry has discovered that in the early acute stage of the disease the tongue is covered, as a rule, with whitish or grayish fur. This layer may be so thin that the pink substance of the tongue shows through it. The characteristic feature, however, of the disease is the presence of dark purplish red spots or elevations scattered all over the tongue. These spots are rather larger than a pinhead. At the back of the tongue there are several large elevations, varying in size from that of a pin's head to a split pea or even larger. When the tongue is coated with white fur, the red spots produce an appearance known as the white strawberry tongue. When there is no fur, the appearance is more like a red strawberry.

At a later stage these red spots turn into pinkish, white, jellylike dots. In chronic cases when the patient has got through the worst of it the tongue still shows quite characteristic signs. It is usually of a deep red or purplish color, is fairly clear or sometimes slightly covered with a grayish or brownish fur. The purple spots are no longer to be seen, their place being taken by transparent white dots, which are rather larger than those of the earlier stages.

This order of changes in the appearance of the tongue is not always the same in every patient. The purplish spots may remain throughout, but in the majority of cases the description holds good. In every case of grip, however, one or other of the conditions of the tongue is present. Besides these changes in the tongue small white dots may be seen on the mucous membrane of the lips and cheeks. The throat is usually found to be dry and red. As the patient gets better the spots or vesicles become less and less pronounced, and finally when he is well they completely disappear.

Cuba's Fight For Freedom.

The Cubans are doing pretty well, thank you. Despite the fact that not a single nation of the earth has accorded them belligerent rights there is little doubt, taking all accounts into consideration, that they are making the Spanish mighty sick of their job.

For Stealing a Pair of Suspenders.

Henry Irons, colored, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment at hard labor at Wilmington, Del., for the larceny of a pair of suspenders. This sentence also includes an hour in the pillory and 20 lashes at the whipping post.

Boys Rexters have outsold, ten to one, all other outside garments this season.

There's scarcely a desirable fabric that we haven't well represented.

Elysians, Chinchillas, Astrachans, Kerseys and Friezes, in blue, brown, green and red, with deep sailor collars for boys, 3 years to 8: blue and dark colors, with velvet collars for boys 7 years to 16.

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Lowell.

DEATHS.

McCANN—Michael McCann formerly of Lowell, died at his home in Manchester, N. H., Tuesday evening, aged 38 years.

COBURN—Miss Isabella Coburn died of heart disease Wednesday afternoon at her home on Merrimack street. She was a member of the Unitarian society, and of the X. V. club, and was known and respected by a large circle of friends.

PADIN—Annie Padin, aged 26 years, wife of William Padin, died Wednesday evening at his home, 162 Church street.

DALTON—Bridget Dalton, child of Thomas and Mary Dalton, died last evening at their home, 328 Adams street.

For a nice spring garden now is the time to order bulbs of all kinds at McMannon's palace flower store, Prescott street. Telephone 3.

Chris. Holmes' Jackets.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley J.

Business was quite slow in court this morning.

There were only three drunks.

James McCue, charged with committing an unnatural act was held in $800 for trial next Friday.

James Doherty for larceny was sent to jail for six months. He stole a coat from the Boott corporation.

DECEMBER 3rd,

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On or before the above date will receive interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum from December.

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Will resume his children's Classes; SATURDAY, Oct. 5. Advance 10. a m. Beginners, 2. p. m.

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Tuesday 8 to 11, Private.
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Thursday, 8 to 10, Beginners.
Friday, 7.30 to 9.30, Young People.
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Private Lessons at any hour not occupied in class. Office Hours, 8 a. m. to 10 p. m.

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FOR SALE—T. P. Stewart parlor stove, cost last fall $25; good as new. Will sell for $12. 358 Wentworth ave., Oaklands.

$125 UPRIGHT PIANO, in good condition, made by Hallet & Davis, Boston; seven and one third octaves. A bargain for some one. GEORGE A. GARDNER, 20 Prescott Street, Lowell, Mass.

VARIETY STORES use old papers for wrapping purposes. We sell them at this office for 5 cents a hundred.

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The Well Dressed Men of Boston Wear SHUMAN'S High Art Clothing.

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The People of Lowell Are Finding It Out.

En route to the Atlantic seaboard, Colorado and Kansas, notify us that it is time to provide ourselves with

Warm Underwear, Woolens and Furs.

The wise man anticipates his wants, and the Big Store Opposite City Hall insists upon being as timely in its announcements as it is truthful in its representations. Our hobby today is

$10 Heavy Woolen Frieze Ulsters,

Cut extra long, driving tabs on sleeves, Fancy Worsted and Black Clay Worsted Lining, pockets double stayed, colors Black and Oxford Grey. You can pay just $2 more for the equal in any other store.

Boys' Ulsters 8 to 15 years, $3.

From that up to $8 we can introduce you to garments of intrinsic worth that will interest you. For lads from 4 to 10 years we offer you a Cape Overcoat, Victory woolen goods, at $2.50. Of course the $5 Knockabout from A. Shuman & Co. is always in evidence in our Boys' Department.

Dollar Underwear.

You will pardon us for blowing about our Natural Wool Underwear at $1, but then you want to see our large corner Window display of these warm, serviceable garments, either double or single breasted, and understand they are direct from the mills in case lots—same as others sell at $1.25. No wonder we blow. HOSIERY.—Natural wool and Camel's Hair, another case, 15c. a pair, 2 pairs for 25c., the price of a single pair.

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OLIVER A. LIEBY.
FRANK B. DOW.

HON. JOHN C. Burke can make a nice nominating speech.

SENATOR LODGE is acquitting himself of a great deal of jingoism.

QUINCY RALLIES are all the rage in Boston. Curtis is bound to go.

THANKSGIVING OF 1895 is gone and right well it was enjoyed hereabouts.

THE LOWELL and Suburban street railroad, according to its own figures, is not a profitless concern.

HON. WILLIAM F. Courtney may have some enemies in his own party but they will not vote for Miller.

THE PRESIDENT is at work on his last message to congress. It is not likely to have any reference to the subject of a third term.

COUNCILMAN GOWARD gave an exhibition of wheedling in first allowing the nomination to be tendered him and then refusing to accept it. That will never make him more popular with the A. P. A.

THE ONLY disagreeable hitch in the convention was the defeat of Mr. Custy who sought the nomination. He is a popular democrat, but the majority o f th convention thought Mr. Crowley would run better at large. It was no slight upon Mr. Custy and should not be taken as such.

MR. PERRY, the citizens' candidate for mayor against the A. P. A. nominee, sneers at the idea that "such a country as this with a population of 70,000,000, a country that achieved such triumphs in her infancy should need as defenders an insignificant horde of foreigners who pose as patriots. "As well," he says "might we set up a tallow candle to illuminate the sun that shines in the heavens." Bravo! Perry; you deserve election.

MARLBORO'S CITY CHARTER.

The Marlboro city council has adopted a new city charter to be submitted to the legislature next year with a request that it be submitted to the voters for approval. It provides that the aldermen and school committee shall be elected at large, for a board of public works and that all departments shall be under civil service law. The board of public works is appointed by the mayor. The document seems to be generally favored by the citizens and is calculated to procure an administration free from partnership.

THE COURIER'S NON-PARTISANSHIP.

The Courier disavows all intention of approaching the city election with partisan motives and then starts out by stating that Mr. Miller has long been a citizen of Lowell and that "he has not been connected with transactions which have engendered the emphatic condemnation of partisan trades and manipulation."

Oh! no, Mr. Miller has been an outside party to many of the trades because the very trades referred to by the Courier were in part adopted at the secret meetings of the A.P.A., and carried out by the tools of that order in the board of aldermen, the common council and the school board.

The Courier winds up by intimtaing that the present "gang" should be cleared out, which is another way of advising the people to swallow the A. P. A. ticket. There is a great deal of non-partisanship about the Citizen, and now the staid old Courier is coming out with a non-partisan manifesto in favor of the republican A. P. A. ticket.

BURY THE HATCHET.

Now that the A. P. has nominated its idol for mayor and some of its most trusted "Friends" for aldermen, the "advisory board" has sent out an imperative edict to bury the hatchet. By that it is given out that the axe which was used in chopping off the political heads of Fred Woodies, Councilmen Morse and Goward and that was used with almost fatal effect against A. G. Swapp is to be laid aside until after election day in order to beguile the old line republicans into voting for Joseph Miller and the gang. Should Miller and the gang be elected, the council and school board being controlled by the A. P. A., as they will be, there would then be a demand for the axe. It would be freely used in making places for the "Friends" of the advisory board, the presidents and other officials of the darkiantern lodges so far as the city departments could afford them sinecure berths. The A. P. A. lodges want harmony and they ask for a truce until after December 10. They will undoubtedly notify Senator Foss that they have suspended hostilities in his case and that they will not attempt to hound him ady further if he votes for Joe Miller and the gang.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all Try us.

MOJESKY ez CAMEEL.

[By Eugene Field.]

Afore we went to Denver we had heard the Tabor Grand
Allowed by critics ez the finest opry in the land,
An roundin up at Denver in the fall of eighty-one,
Well heeled in p'int of looker an a-pinin for some fun,
We told Bill Bush (that we wuz fixed quite comf'table for wealth
An hadn't struck that altitood entirely for our health.
You see, we know Bill Bush at Central City years ago
(An a winter rann than that same Bill you could not wish to know).
Bill run the Grand for Tabor, an he ginus two a deal
Ez how we really otter see Modjesky ez Cameel.

"Three Fingered" Hoover stated that he'd great deal rather go
To call on Charley Sampson than frequent a opry show.
"The queen of tradegy," sez he, "is wot I've never seen,
An I reckon there is more for me in some other kind uv queen!"
"Git out!" sez Bill, digustedlike. "An can't you never find
A pleasure in the things of life w'ich ellervates the mind?
You' re set around in Casey's restawraw a year or more
An heard ole Vere de Blaw perform shof doovers by the score—
Only to come down here arsing us long an say you feel
You'd rather take in fare than a opry like 'Cameell'"

But it seems it wurn't no opry, but a sort uv foreign play,
With a heap uv talk an dressin that wuz both dekollytay.
A young chap sparks a gal, who's caught a book that's old an wealthy—
She has a cold, an faintin fits, an is gin'rally unhealthy.
She says she has a record, but the young chap doesn't mind,
An it looks ez if the feller wuz a proper, likely kind
Until his old man sneaks around an makes a dirty brag,
An the young one plays the sucker an gives the girl the shake.
"Armo! Armo!" she hollers, but he flings her on the floor,
An says he ain't ergoin to have no truck with her no more.

At that "Three Fingered" Hoover says: "I'll chip into this game
An see if Red Hoss mountain cannot reconstruct the same.
I won't set by an see the feelin's uv a lady hurt—
Gol durn a critter, anyhow, that does a woman dirt!"
He riz up like a giant in that little painted pen
An stepped upon the platform with the women folks an men—
Across the trough of gas ~~[illegible]~~ he bounded like a deer,
An grabbed Armo an hove him through the landscape in the rear,
An then we see him shed his hat an reverently kneel,
An put his strong arms tenderly round the gal Cameel.

A-stan'in in his stockin feet, his height wuz six foot three,
An a huskier man than Hoover wuz you could not hope to see—
He downed Lafe Dawson wrasslin, an one night I seen him lick
Three Cornish miners that come into camp from Roarin crick
To clean out Casey's restawraw an do the town, they said.
He could whip his weight in wildcats an paint whole townships red—
But good to helpless folks an weak—a brave an manly heart
A cyclone couldn't phase, but any child could rend apart,
Jest like the mountain pine which dares the storm that howls along,
But rocks the winds uv summertime an sings a soothin song.

"Cameel," sez he, "your record is agin you, I'll allow,
But, bein you're a woman, you'll git justice anyhow!
So, if you say you're sorry an intend to travel straight—
Why, never mind that other chap with which you meant to mate!
I'll marry you myself an take you back tomorrow night
To the camp on Red Hoss mountain, where the boys'll treat you white,
Where Casey runs a tabble dote an folks are brave and true;
Where there ain't no ancient history to bother me or you,
Where there ain't no law but honesty, no evidence but facts,
Where between the verdick an the rope, there ain't no onter acts!"

I wuz mighty prond uv Hoover, but the folks began to shout
That the feller was intrudin an would some one put him out.
"Well, no; I reckon not," says I, cr words to that effect,
Ez I perduced a argument I thought they might respect—
A long an harnsome weepon I'd pre-empted when I come
Out west—its cartridges wuz big an juicy ez a plum—
W'ich when presented properly, wuz very apt to sway
The popular opinion in a most persuasive way.
"Well, no; I reckon not!" says I, but I didn't say no more,
Observing that there wuz a gin'ral movement toward the door.

First Dr. Lemen he allowed that he had got to go
An see a patient he jest heerd wuz lyin very low,
An Charlie Tell riz up an said he guessed he'd join the doc
An go to see a client w'ich wuz waitin round the block.
John Arkins rockollected he had interviews to write,
An previous engagements hurried Cooper from our sight.
Cal Cole went out to buy a hoss, Fred Skiff an Belford, too,
An Stapleton remembered he had heaps uv work to do.
Somehow or other every one wuz full of business then—
Leastwise they all vamoosed an didn't bother us again.

I reckollect that Willard Morse an Bush come runnin in
A-hollerin, "Oh, wot idiots you two durned fools have been!"
I reckollect that they allowed we'd made a big mistake—
They otter knowed us tenderfoots wuz sure to make a break!
An while Modjesky stated we wuz somewhat off our base
I half opined she liked it by the look upon her face.
I reckollect that Hoover regretted he done wrong
In throwin that there actor through a vista ten miles long.
I reckollect we all shuck hands an ordered vin frappay,
An I never shall forget the head I had on me next day!

I haven't seen Modjesky since—I'm hopin to again.
She's goin to show in Denver soon; I'll go to see her then.
An maybe I shall speak to her, w'ich if I do (twill be
About the old friend restin by the mighty western sea.
A simple man perhaps, but good ez gold an true ez steel—
He could whip his weight in wildcats, an you never heard him squeal:
Good to the helpless an the weak, a brave an manly heart
A cyclone couldn't phase, but any child could rend apart—
So like the mountain pine that dares the storm w'ich sweeps along,
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MAKESHIFT EXCUSES.

Republicans Are Now Raising the Overproduction Cry.

In a recent lecture Mr. Edward Atkinson fittingly rebuked the well worn device of citing "overproduction" when ever a false system of economics is found not to work.

Jealous of the enormous boom of trade under the new tariff bill, some of the Republican partisans are beginning to predict an overproduction of cotton goods. The southern mills, which in 1880 had only 542,000 spindles, have now 2,879,000.

The American cotton mills have 1,400,000,000 backs to cover. Many of these backs are well nigh shirtless, and there are but few which are too well provided for. The number of people who are complaining of too many shirts is extremely small, to say nothing of 100,000,000 shirtless Asiatics.

The cry of overproduction is always the cry of evasion—the last shift whereby to excuse a false industrial policy. It is a virtual insult to every work willing person with a ragged coat, a dilapidated shirt and toes looking out of his boots for protection.

Under a judicious tariff policy and an ample supply of the circulating medium there is no such thing as overproduction, except, possibly, the overproduction of men credulous enough to accept this makeshift excuse for false economic policies and unreasoning greed.—Boston Globe.

The Statesman From Bitter Creek.

Senator Chandler seems less eager to twist the British lion's tail or to drive the proud Castilian from the Spanish main than he appeared to be before the elections. He still wears his hat cocked at a bellicose angle, but his leonine roar has become as gentle as the mewing of a pussy cat. He now believes that "the preparation of the Cubans for self government should be fully ascertained" before this government shall commit itself to intervention in their behalf, and that the Monroe doctrine should be asserted "so far as it applies" to the Guiana boundary dispute—a very wise and unimpeachably correct limitation. As the time for the opening of the congressional session draws near the statesman from Bitter Creek seems to be more mindful of his senatorial responsibility.—Philadelphia Record.

A Reckless Squanderer.

Mr. Quay's plans for increasing the revenues of the government have for a traveling companion a very liberal proposition for spending them as fast as they are increased.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Very Few Are Deserving.

Pingree has carried Detroit by a handsome majority. It is a pity that so many other successful candidates are much less deserving than the great potato philanthropist.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Hard Luck Stories In Demand.

Possessors of hard luck stories and calamity information will learn something to their advantage by placing themselves in correspondence with William McKinley.—Washington Post.

Keep an Eye on 1896.

The pendulum of politics has been swinging to and fro in almost annual alternation ever since the great tidal wave of 1875. Now look out for 1896.—Kansas City Times.

They're Not Thinking of the Country.

If the Republicans do no better with their new slump than they have done with the old one, little good will come to the country from the recent elections.—Exchange.

Harrison Badly Damaged.

We firmly believe that Mr. Harrison has good cause of action against the man who induced him to write that letter on municipal politics.—Washington Post.

Don't Mind the Smell.

The Republicans and the A. P. A.'s have carried Omaha again. Nothing in the way of a bad smell has stopped this year's tidal wave.—St. Louis Republic.

Fear Their Prophecy Will Prove True.

Indiana Republican journals that said, "As Indianapolis goes this year so will go Indiana next year," are all "broken up."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, carrying on business as expressmen at Lowell, under the firm name and style of Post Gardner Express company, was, on November 21st, dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business in the future will be carried on by the said Frank Dunlap alone under the same name and style.

CHARLES W. POST,
W. C. GARDNER,
FRANK DUNLAP.

SUNBEAMS.

Too Sensitive.

Chapple—But surely you don't mean that you won't speak to me again?

Tootsie—I do. You were very rude.

Chapple—But, my dear girl, I only said that I could see by your face you were an artist.—Ally Sloper.

An Editor's Nightmare.

The former editor of The Scotsman, when he retired to enjoy his well earned leisure, gave Alexander Russell this advice: "The conduct of a daily paper," he said, "is always a very serious thing, full of dangers and difficulties, but in addition to its usual anxieties you, my friend, will every night have to keep the most vigilant watch lest that man Hill Burton should contrive to insert his theory about Scotch cheeses into your columns."

It is not necessary to particularize what it was. It will suffice to say that this theory—based upon the exposure of Scotch cheeses in front of the shops and the treatment to which they were consequently exposed—was not complimentary or likely to recommend them to the purchaser.

"Day and night," said Russell, "for 15 years I have never forgot my predecessor's warning. A hundred times that theory endeavored to gain admittance into my columns and by most unlooked for channels. Sometimes it lurked concealed in an article about the Crimean war, sometimes in one of the divorce cases, sometimes in one on the division of the Free church in Scotland or even in the disruption itself, but it was always detected and struck out.

"It was a duel to the death, for I knew that Hill Burton would never relax his efforts to get his views upon Scotch cheeses into print while there was breath in his body. On the morning of the last day of the fifteenth year he ran into my office waving a paper in his hand and crying out: 'It's in! It's in!'

"'What?' cried I. 'Not in The Scotsman, surely?'

"'No,' said he, 'in "Chambers' Information For the People."'

"My relief of mind is not to be described."—Pearson's Weekly.

Did Him Injustice.

Slimpson (angrily)—See here, Jimson, I just want to know if you turned down this side street to avoid me.

Jimson—Why—er—certainly not, old boy. I—er—I didn't see you.

Slimpson (somewhat mollified)—I had an idea you thought I was one of those fellows who always borrow and never pay.

Jimson—No, no—er—of course not. Your credit is as good as any one's.

Slimpson—I beg your pardon, Jimson. I see I've done you injustice. Lend me $10, will you?—New York Weekly.

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[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

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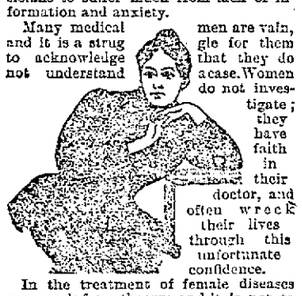

Many medical men are vain, and it is a struggle for them to acknowledge that they do not understand a case. Women do not investigate; they have faith in their doctor, and often wreck their lives through this unfortunate confidence.

In the treatment of female diseases men work from theory; and it is not to be expected that they can treat as intelligently those complaints from which they have never suffered, as a woman can who has made the organism and diseases of her sex a life study.

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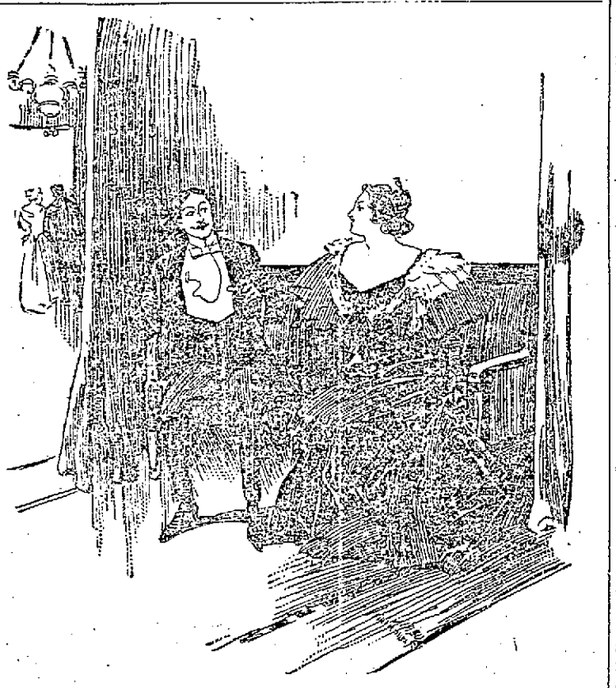

[In a quiet corner at the reception.]

She: "You say you would be willing to risk your life for me?"

He: "Only try me!"

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KILLED BY BLOW

John F. Cronan of Lawrence the Victim.

HE WAS STRUCK WITH A [illegible] CUE

And Died From Concussion of the Brain.

NEWBURYPORT, Mass., Nov. 29.—An autopsy was held yesterday on the body of John F. Cronan of Lawrence, who died Wednesday night, as a result of a blow from a billiard cue. It was found that death was caused by concussion of the brain. Daniel F. Leahey will be arraigned on a charge of manslaughter. Leahey was much affected when he learned of the outcome of the dispute, but his plea will be that the blow was struck in self-defense.

Two Unknown Unfortunates.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Workmen employed upon the ruins of the old Volksgarten in the Bowery, which was destroyed by fire last Saturday night, yesterday discovered the charred bodies of two men. Nobody has been reported missing as having been employed by the museum people, who occupied the building at the time the fire broke out, and an effort is being made to solve the mystery surrounding their identity.

Fitzsimmons' Chance.

DETROIT, Nov. 29.—John J. Quinn, Peter Maher's manager, says he is ready and anxious to contest Fitzsimmons' claims to the middleweight and heavyweight championships. He says: "I will match Maher against Fitzsimmons for any amount from $5000 up, and will arrange that Maher fights Fitzsimmons at any time or place, either in private or public."

Important Legislation.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 29.—The new constitution retains the present $1 poll tax and increases the educational property tax to 3 mills. In addition, the new constitution says the profits of the liquor dispensary and the penitentiary and the proceeds from the sale of abandoned lands and estates shall be turned into the public school funds.

Iron In River's Bed.

LEBANON, N. H., Nov. 29.—A temporary wooden structure over the Connecticut river at West Lebanon collapsed yesterday and fell into the river. The Berlin Bridge company, which was constructing a new bridge at that point, lost 90 tons of iron. The water in the river was very high and washed away the temporary bridge.

Long and Rough Passages.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The steamer Illinois reached this port yesterday a week overdue. She left Antwerp Nov. 6, and from Nov. 8, up to her arrival at the Delaware capes, she has been buffeted by a succession of hard gales. The Indiana also arrived from Liverpool after a tempestuous voyage.

This Was In Canada.

TORONTO, Nov. 29.—There are many American students in the Ontario Veterinary college. They sought to honor Thanksgiving day by raising the Stars and Stripes in one of their lecture rooms. To this the Canadian students objected and rudely hauled down the flag, though they met with vigorous resistance. Then ensued a free fight, in which several on both sides were slightly injured.

Idle Long Enough.

TRENTON, Nov. 29.—The Sanitary pottery employes will return to work on Monday. They have been on strike for eight weeks, the chief differences with the bosses being over an alleged excessive hiring of apprentices.

Wedded on the Stage.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—A wedding occurred on the stage of the Westminster theater yesterday. The principals were Arthur L. Gorman and Annie Weltman, the latter a member of the Marie Roselle company.

Absence Accounted For.

STAMFORD, Conn., Nov. 29.—Jeremiah Lockwood, aged 40, colored, who has been missing since Tuesday, was found dead three miles from here yesterday. Death probably followed attacks of epilepsy.

Duryea Came In First.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The motor cycle contest was won by the Duryea machine, which is operated by gasoline. The H. Mueller machine came in second.

Back to Hoosier State.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Ex-President Benjamin Harrison left this city yesterday afternoon for his home in Indianapolis.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Chili is reported to be seeking a loan of $30,000,000.

Search for gold in Connecticut will be made in the spring.

An Oregon boy confessed that he murdered three persons.

The United States senate may be Republican by one majority.

Canadian sealers decided to give up their regular spring voyage.

Secret societies in the United States are denounced by the cardinals.

Two boys were killed while walking on the track near Taunton, Mass.

Corrupt members of the Madrid municipal council are to be removed.

A diamond weighing 655 carats was found in the Orange Free State.

A 'bus full of young people was spilled into a river near Whately, Mass.; all were saved.

District Attorney Butler of New Orleans was committed for contempt of court.

United States Senator Perkins would raise the tariff on all cheap Japanese goods.

The Emperor of Germany is mentioned as a possible arbitrator in the Venezuelan dispute.

The theological school of the American Methodist Episcopal church in Rome was inaugurated.

Autograph collectors have ruined many state papers in the government's executive departments.

MEED OF PRAISE

For the Puritans From Rev. Dr. Parkhurst.

DEATH HEREAFTER TO ALL TRAIN WRECKERS

And Some Very Pointed Criticism of the Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—In his Thanksgiving sermon yesterday in the Madison Avenue Presbyterian church, the Rev. Dr. Parkhurst took for his subject the prevailing lawlessness and its cause. For the first time in 15 years his congregation broke into cheers during his sermon. It was when he asserted that he was proud of his Puritan ancestry, and wished that there was a ridge of Plymouth rocks from the Battery to Westchester.

The sermon contained some sensational features, one of which was an allusion to the Rome boy train-wreckers, who, he said, should be tried and convicted within a week, and hanged within a month for the good of society.

Hot Shot For Editors.

After discussing the excise law and recent political movements, Dr. Parkhurst said: "And it is one of the most startling and appalling features of the entire situation that there have been newspapers that, with brazen audacity, have aided and abetted these anarchists and conspirators, and that, seven days in the week, beside extras, have flaunted their criminal sympathy with crime, and have resorted to every conceivable villainous journalistic device to make ridiculous the officials that undertook to do what they swore they would do, and to make reputable criminals that trampled on the law and ought to have been treated to a cell and not to eulogy.

"Some of those papers that for months made a steady practice of instigating crime, if they had been published in Berlin, would have been confiscated, with all the publication machinery, and their managers retired to enforce privacy and a diet of bread and water."

Indians Are Stubborn.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Included in the report of the secretary of the interior is that of the Dawes commission to the five civilized tribes. The commission, in reporting its failure to negotiate with the Indians, says that the conditions have grown worse instead of better since the last report. In its conclusion, the commission says: "It is, in the judgment of the commission, the imperative duty of congress to assume at once political control of the Indian Territory. They have come with great reluctance to this conclusion, and have sought by all methods that might reach the convictions of those holding power in the territory to induce them by negotiation and mutual agreement to consent to a satisfactory change in their system of government and appropriation of tribal property."

Colored Folks Won.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Nov. 29.—A big lawsuit brought by the colored people of Cherokee county, who were brought into the nation as slaves and afterward became free men, against the Cherokees, to establish their rights as Cherokee citizens, has been compromised. The settlement makes the colored people members of the Cherokee nation, and entitles them to about $1,800,000 of the money received for their strip, and their proper interest in the unsold lands, comprising many millions of acres.

The Gallcia's Mishap.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The work of unloading the damaged cargo of the German steamship Gallcia, which put into this port Wednesday, with fire in the main hold, continues. The entire cargo in the main hold consisted of 80,000 bushels of grain, 1100 bales of cotton and 5000 bags of cottonseed meal and other merchandise. This will all be unloaded. It is estimated that the loss on the cargo will amount to $75,000, and the damage to the vessel is about $8000.

No Apology.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—A dispatch from Caracas says: "It is officially stated that the revolutionary outbreak is of no importance. No British ultimatum has yet been received, and many of the influential Venezuelans urge an amicable settlement. The government is afraid that the tendering of an apology would be equivalent to recognizing the right of England to the disputed territory. Otherwise it is ready to give satisfaction."

Young Folks Had a Voice.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—The Catholic Total Abstinence society convention was held here yesterday. Delegates were present from Massachusetts and this state. Rt. Rev. Matthew Harkins delivered an address. The Juvenile Cadets of New Bedford, Mass., were allowed representation in the convention, the first time the body has ever been represented in the society.

Will Have New Station.

STAMFORD, Conn., Nov. 29.—The Consolidated road and the Fergusons have agreed upon a price, said to be between $80,000 and $90,000, and the former has purchased property west of the present station for a new passenger station site and increased track accommodation.

Two Barns Burned.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Two large barns belonging to the Boston and Albany railroad in the Brighton stock yards were destroyed by fire. The fire was of incendiary origin, and is the fifth that has occurred in the vicinity within the past three months.

Responsible For Eleven Deaths.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 29.—George W. Davis has been convicted on his third trial of murder in the second degree. The crime charged was the wrecking of the Rock Island passenger train on the night of Aug. 20, 1894, and the killing of 11 people.

Gold Mine at Low Figure.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The sheriff yesterday sold the property at Mooseland belonging to Dr. C. R. Jenkins of Boston, including gold mining areas and dwelling houses, engine house; plant for $1500.

Fills Mahone's Place.

PETERSBURG, Va., Nov. 29.—The Virginia Republicans yesterday chose Colonel Lamb of Norfolk as Mahone's successor as leader of the Republicans of Virginia, he being made chairman of the state committee and also Virginia's representative on the Republican national committee.

JAMES A. CAWLEY, Moore Street
Coal.
Telephone for Summer Prices. All orders promptly delivered. Late of firm of Cawley Bros.

CONCERNING OUR PATENT LAWS

THEY DO NOT BENEFIT INVENTORS BUT ENRICH MONOPOLISTS.

Henry Cohen Discusses Another Matter Upon Which the American Federation of Labor Has Taken a Stand—Edison's Declaration on the Subject.

[Special Correspondence.]

Among the special privileges which take from the laborer we find the patent monopoly. It is a very innocent appearing monopoly, but it helped the building up of a few goodly fortunes. Having full possession of the market is one of the factors that make telephone, telegraph and electrical companies so rich and so powerful, and we need not be surprised if in the next 20 years we see electric companies richer and more powerful than any of the present day corporations.

The proof of the growth of those industries which the patent laws especially fostered can be seen in any platform that calls for state control. There is a hope that the state will undo the mischief it has done. Would it not be the simpler way out of the difficulty to stop the further granting of this exclusive power?

When the government grants a man the exclusive right to make a certain machine or appliance, it precludes any later comer from making it. It matters not whether a second inventor is successful and can prove that he worked out his plan independently of the first. He came too late, and that settles it. This is clearly unjust. The world of ideas should be free just as the material world should be free. The raw material of nature should be accessible to all, and so should the objects upon which the mind would operate, which can be called the raw material of thought. The combination of ideas which results in an invention is possible at any time. It is therefore very absurd to suppose that had the idea not come to a certain individual the world would have lost it. If one had not discovered it another would, in the shortest time. Four inventors almost simultaneously brought out the telephone. One can almost say it was the time for the telephone to be born. And so it is with other inventions—the demand for them encourages men to direct their energies along certain lines.

There are two arguments usually made when one proposes the repeal of the patent laws. One is that no one will try to discover anything unless he is rewarded, and the long days and nights devoted to studying and planning will be given up. The second is that there can only be one successful inventor for each invention, yet the promise stimulates them all.

The first seems to be a plea for justice. But it is only for one inventor. If inventors are to be rewarded, why are those left out who spend the long days and nights in working, but who reach the patent office too late? And what justice is there in asking 1,000 men to give years of work for a reward that can only fall to one? There is clearly a desire on the part of society to have the nine hundred odd men working for nothing.

No pretense can therefore be made by society that it rewards inventors.

Justice forbids that a combination of ideas should be made the absolute property of an individual even for the 14 or 21 years provided by law. Why 14 or any other number? If an idea is a man's property, it belongs to him and his heirs and assigns forever. In limiting the time of absolute proprietorship our lawmakers practically admit they are doing an injustice.

The joke of the whole thing is that the inventor for whom so much concern is shown does not get the benefit. When Edison speaks, every one will admit it is an expert testimony. This is what he told a reporter:

"Our patent system puts a premium on rascality. I have taken out 700 patents for my inventions, but I have never had one minute's protection. * * * I have never made one cent out of my inventions. All I have made has been out of manufacturing. * * * I believe I would be $600,000 better off if I had never taken out a patent. What I have made has been because I have understood the inventions better and have been able to manipulate the manufacturing of them better than the pirates. I could not have made anything had I not had large capital to back me, and the ordinary inventor has no protection whatever. His certificate of patent is merely a certificate to the poorhouse, and hundreds of inventors are ruined. They spend all they have in getting out their inventions, and they die poor."

Here is the confession of the most successful inventor of the day that capital, already overfed, rakes in through the patent laws the reward intended for the inventor. The American Federation of Labor placed itself on record by declaring against fundamental patents. This was done on the advice of the Electrical Workers, a union that sees in the everyday working order of things what I have tried to develop in its theoretical side in this letter.

HENRY COHEN.

Denver, Nov. 8.

Fancy Farming For Convicts.

"I'd like to have attended that prison congress," said Mayor Pingree of Detroit. "I'd have told them something about caring for prisoners. Easiest thing in the world. All they've got to do is to put these prisoners to work on a big state farm, where they can support themselves. The prisoners can raise any quantity of things that would not compete with the farmer at all. Take mushrooms or French peas, for example. Big money in them. Teach the men how to make a living farming, and then give them a few acres to work when they are released. Could have their prison farm on an island or surrounded with a big stockade. There wouldn't be any trouble about prisoners escaping."

Freeman
Photographer, Hildreth Building.

NOTED CONVICTS

Jabez Balfour And His Pals Sentenced.

THEY ROBBED WIDOWS AND ORPHANS EXTENSIVELY.

The Victims Thought to Have Lost About $35,000,000.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Sentences were pronounced in the queen's bench division of the high court of justice yesterday on Jabez S. Balfour, George Edward Brock and Morrell Theobold, convicted of fraud in connection with the Lands Allotment company and the House and Land Investment Trust companies, forming part of the Liberator group of institutions. Balfour was sentenced to 14 years' penal servitude, seven years on each count. Brock and Theobold were sentenced to nine and four months, respectively. All the other indictments against Balfour have been abandoned.

J. S. BALFOUR.

On a par with the South Sea bubble and the Kaffir craze was the financial scheme so widely ruinous to confiding investors operated by Jabez Balfour. The losers through the collapse of his companies were literally to be numbered by hundreds of thousands. These were largely the very people who could least afford to lose—widows and orphans and aged people of small means. They had been induced to invest because "Mr. Balfour was such a good man!"

His father and mother had been temperance lecturers. He was a temperance lecturer. He was a leader in church affairs. He looked with the strongest disapproval upon theaters, music halls, cards, dancing and all such worldly things. He was, moreover, a member of the house of commons, where he was one of the most enthusiastic followers of Mr. Gladstone, one of the stanchest champions of home rule and one of the sternest reprovers of the house of lords for its plutocracy and its contempt for the common people.

Strange as it may appear, he laid the foundation of his colossal scheme upon the ruins of various similar schemes that had ended in disaster.

"The Liberator," his chief concern, was built upon the ruins of the Alliance National Land, Building and Investment society, and the States bank and a number of other allied concerns known as the Alliance group.

Appealed to Religious Societies.

The basis of the organization was expressed in the Latin motto: "Libera sedes liberum tecto" —a free home makes a free man. Its name was a success; hundreds of Congregationalists were attracted by its prospectus, and an appeal was made to Nonconformist ministers and others connected with temperance and religious societies all over the land to promote its beneficent objects. In 1875 another association was hatched, the "Lands Allotment company," with practically the same directorate and Jabez Spencer Balfour as the controlling genius.

From this period onward there was a regular succession of new companies. In most of these concerns there was a regularly paid dividend of 5 per cent to the shareholders and 4 per cent to depositors. The recklessness of the financing was never surpassed. Balfour discovered a progressive builder named Hobbs. Such large amounts were advanced to Hobbs that when he failed his concern was indebted to the Liberator to the extent of $10,495,000.

Apart from these transactions, "the Balfour group" were financing properties of a more or less speculative character all over the country. Though disaster followed these concerns from first to last, dividends were always found in the new subscriptions and deposits, and directors' remuneration never failed. The total amount of ruin brought upon investors through the final crash may be reckoned thus:

Liberator society, stockholders, $8,805,825, and depositors, $8,261,460; Lands Allotment company, capital subscribed, $3,831,050; House and Lands trust, stockholders, $369,725, and depositors, $7,003,725; Building Securities company, capital subscribed, $1,318,675, and Hobbs & Co., capital subscribed, $305,810.

These aggregate $30,280,770, a colossal sum. But there are various other items which, if added, would bring it up to nearly or quite $35,000,000.

Must Remain In Office.

LIMA, Nov. 29.—President Pierola has expressed his opinion that the services of the ministers have been performed in accordance with the national wish, notwithstanding the vote of censure passed by the chamber of deputies, the senate non-concurring, and has accordingly refused to accept the resignations of the cabinet.

No Chance For Foreigners.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 29.—It is reported here that no railway concessions have been granted to foreigners in China, and that the Chinese government intends henceforth to keep the railway building in its own hands.

A Complete Loss.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The Nova Scotia schooner Three Cheers, with a cargo of produce, is a total wreck on the Prince Edward Island coast.

FITS CURED
(From U. S. Journal of Medicine.)
Prof. W. H. Peeke, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing. We have heard of cases of 20 years' standing cured by him. He publishes a valuable work on this disease which he sends with a large bottle of his absolute cure, free to any sufferer who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise anyone wishing a cure to address, Prof. W. H. PEEKE, F. D., 4 Cedar St., New York.

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HIGH GRADE FURS
Has arrived. The furrier will be here Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Elegant Seal Jackets and Capes. Persian Jackets and Capes. Mink and Sable Capes. Every kind of High Grade Fur, and every style of garment is represented in the stock together with our own stock, will be offered at 50c. on the dollar.
Remember that the sale begins Monday morning at 9 o'clock sharp, and continues until six o'clock Tuesday.
A Practical Furrier
Will make any necessary changes in the fitting of garments; also furnish estimates for the alteration of old garments, and take measurements for new ones, if ordered.
This season we have made to order several high-grade Fur Jackets and Capes for Ladies in Lowell, and we can cheerfully refer to any one or all of those for recommendations as to fit and general satisfaction of the garments.
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The Olympic Bowling Alleys are the finest in the city. No one need go hungry up there, as the Butchers and Grocers have entered the tournament which begins next week. Get into the game, and remember these alleys are under the supervision of Tommy Golden. They are open Day and Night at No 110 MIDDLESEX STREET.

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No. 2 Barristers' Hall
Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

WANT COLUMN

NOTICE—The parties that took off the black and white pup from 368 Wentworth ave., Oaklands, Sunday evening, return same at once and save trouble.

FOUND—A set of tools belonging to a bicycle. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Apply at 963 Central street.

SALESMEN—to take orders and collect. $50 bond, signed by a business firm, required. Exclusive territory, $25 to $75 weekly. For particulars, address P. O. Box 1364, New York City.

WANTED—Misses Keefe and Stevens, dressmakers, at room 7, Associate building, wish to have the ladies of this city know that they can have their dressmaking done in the latest and most fashionable style at the lowest prices of any dressmaking establishment in the city. For first-class work any order we receive we guarantee entire satisfaction. Open day and evening. Remember the place, room 7, Associate building, Merrimack street.

LADY or man to hand friends or neighbors my samples. Send Albert Wood, Perfumer, 718 Woodward, Detroit, Mich., ten cents for five trial bottles Satin-Scent Perfumes, receive outfit offer.

FOR SALE—In Centralville, near Bridge street, 8 minutes' walk from P. O. square, good cottage house in first class repair and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block. Price $1000.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars. "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE—In Ward 4, near Wilder and Middlesex streets, nice two story house of 8 rooms, slated roof, bath, hot and cold water, 4500 ft. of land. Price 2500. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

SALESMAN—Salary or commission with expenses paid. Exclusive territory. Permanent place and must be filled quick. Exceptional chance for a hustler. Blackford & Co., Toronto, Can.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $18 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelope Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

FOR SALE—Near Andrew street, two tenement house, large lot of land; this is your chance; on easy terms. Price $1600. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, consisting of one mantle bed, square piano, reason for selling, want of room. 789 Gorham street.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

FOR SALE—Near Wilder street, a good cottage house and land, good repair, on easy terms. Price $1200. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

TENEMENTS TO LET.

TO LET—Good, pleasant, convenient tenements of 2, 3, 4, 5 rooms, at 79 Chestnut street.

FOR SALE—In Pawtucketville, two tenement house, large lot of land, on corner of streets. Price $3300. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

FOR SALE—Cottage house, 10 minutes walk from City Hall, 7 rooms and bath, a large lot of land, price $1450, $100 down, balance as rent. Charles W. Pinkham, 45 Merrimack street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—A beautiful farm of 250 acres, good buildings, grafted orchards, over $2000 worth of wood and timber to pay for farm, cut over 30 tons of hay last year, 4 1-2 miles from depot, 2 1-2 miles to Creamery, land slopes to south. Beautiful view. If sold this month, will throw in crops, will take $1400, $400 down balance to suit. Apply to Charles W. Pinkham, 45 Merrimack street, old P. O. Block, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Small farm in Pawtucketville of five acres, new cottage house; this is a bargain. Price $1800. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

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House lots 6000 feet from City Hall, at the head of the new Moody street bridge, $250 and up.
These lots are 40 to 50 feet wide and 80 to 97 feet deep and contain about 4000 square feet of land.
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In Pawtucketville, new cottage, 7 rooms, bath, cemented cellar; $1450, on easy terms, $100 down, balance same as rent.
Houses and house lots in all parts of the city on easy terms.
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The most marvelous aerial creation ever presented to the public. After the Lilliputians come the Giants.
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We have the largest assortment of goods for Thanksgiving that have ever been seen in Lowell. In this is included
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And various other dishes for table use. You will want some of these for Thanksgiving. Our prices you will find are cut in two for the next few days.
French & Puffer
245 Central Street.

Boston and Maine Railroad.

Winter Arrangement.

WESTERN DIVISION

Corrected to October 20, 1895.

TRAINS LEAVE MIDDLESEX STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.25, 10.00 a. m.; 12.05, 12.55, 2.50, 3.20, 4.05, 5.10, 5.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 5.15, 7.00, 9.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 5.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Exeter, and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.
For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.
For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Sacco and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.
For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.
For Eastport and St. John's (N. B. steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p.m.
For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones of Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Oct. 20, 1895, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:—

For Boston—5.43, 6.30, *7.50, *7.45, *8.50, *9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, *3.00, 4.20, *5.33 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston—*5.43, *6.24, *6.53, §7.01, §7.18, *7.27, *7.43, *8.07, 9.03, *9.50 11.03, 11.45 a.m.; 12.16, 1.49, *3.03, *4.03, 4.33, 5.20, *5.36, 6.24, *7.04 p.m. SUNDAYS, §*7.18, §*7.27, 8.45, *9.16 a. m; *4.25, *5.03 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.30, *7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., *4.26, *5.58 p.m.

*Express. §Northern Depot only. †Via Bedford.

For Lawrence—6.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—*7.38 a. m.; 1.20, 3.50 p. m.

☞ Time given below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p.m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 1.00, 3.13, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.14 9.45 a.m; 12.11, 1.00, 1.42, 3.42, 5.42, 6.20, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3 a.m., 2.20, 6.02, 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.14, 9.45 a. m; 12.11, (1.42 to Franklin and Bristol only), 5.42, †8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40 a. m; 1.42 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m; 1.42, †8.42 p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.

Quebec Express via White River Junction—12.11, 8.13, p. m., daily except Sunday.

☞ †Daily for Montreal.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR FRIDAY, Nov. 29.

SUN RISES	6.52	MOON SETS	4 09 AM
SUN SETS	4.14	FULL SEA	9 01 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	9.22		9 15 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair, with warmer southerly winds; probably colder tomorrow.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Reading line of electrics was not opened yesterday.

The Sons of Veterans held a sociable at their hall, Wednesday evening.

The churches of Chelmsford Centre held a union Thanksgiving service yesterday.

A number of Lowell people attended the dance at the Billerica town hall last evening.

Miss Lillian Breault entertained her friends, last evening, on the occasion of her birthday.

The local gun club was to have a shoot at the range yesterday but it didn't come off and none of the gunners were present.

A unique musical entertainment was held in the First Presbyterian church, last evening, which was largely attended and highly enjoyed.

Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., admitted five new members last evening. Arrangements were made for the observance of the quarter centennial of the lodge.

Do you want a pretty ink stand for your table or desk? Lawler, the book seller, offers a regular 50 cents automatic ink stand for 25 cents, on Friday only. 70 Merrimack and 15 John street.

Struck by a Train.

A man named Haggerty was struck by a train shortly before 8 o'clock last evening near the Northern station. His bruises, which were not serious, were cared for at St. John's hospital.

Paving-Blocks Came Too Late.

Supt. Crowley has been notified that 15 cars loaded with paving blocks are ready to be unloaded on the Boston and Maine tracks. The superintendent declines to receive them. He says that they should have been delivered last month, and that they were delayed so long that it is too late to use them this year.

KIND SCHOOL CHILDREN

Found Some Tender Offerings for the Poor.

The children of the Plain street school gave their annual Thanksgiving offering for the poor Wednesday evening.

The offerings included vegetables, tea, coffee, sugar, cakes, fruit, bread and pies.

The articles were distributed among the needy families in the neighborhood of the school and the Faith Home, Open Door mission and the Ministry at Large.

DAN CONGRATULATES JOE

And Says He Will Support Him in the Fight.

The republican or A. P. A. candidates for municipal offices held a meeting Wednesday evening and decided to carry on a vigorous campaign from now till election day.

Alderman Varnum has written a congratulatory letter to "Joe" Miller and pledging his hearty support to the candidate on election day.

Only One Candidate.

The only candidate for the school board in Ward eight is Mr. Everett, republican. James Howard, nominated by the democrats, has declined to run.

CONTRACTOR WARD

Gets More Time in Which to Finish Work On Moody Street Bridge.

The street committee at a meeting Wednesday afternoon decided to allow Contractor Ward four weeks in which to complete the work on the Moody street bridge abutments.

Thomas H. Elliott appeared before the committee and asked that something be done to prevent the cottage house owned by him on the First street extension from falling into the road.

Action on this matter was postponed till next Monday.

The committee went up to the Pawtucket crossing and Daniel Gage met the members. He wanted them to have work on the changing of the grade crossing discontinued for one year so as not to interfere with his business. The members advised him that the only course he could pursue would be to petition the courts and have the work stopped.

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin of Arkwright Street Congratulated by Many Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffin, residing at 20 Arkwright street, observed their golden wedding at their home yesterday.

They held a reception from four o'clock till nine in the evening, and McElroy's orchestra furnished music. A very large number of their friends called to congratulate them and many brought valuable presents.

The old couple were overjoyed to meet so many esteemed friends, many of whom were from out of town. Mr. Griffin is 80 years of age and Mrs. Griffin 77.

He formerly worked in the Massachusetts repair shop, but for years past has conducted the well known boarding house where he now resides. They have one son, Charles Griffin.

SINGING AND DANCING

Furnished Entertainment for the Thistle Club.

It was a pleasant party the Ladies' Thistle club held in Caledonian hall Wednesday evening, and the ladies of the club spared no pains to have everyone enjoy themselves. In the early part of the evening a concert was enjoyed. Those taking part were Miss Maggie Dobson, Miss Jessie Walker, Messrs. John Ray, John Mutter, John Backock. Addresses were made by Mrs. J. S. McKay of the Thistle club, and by Chief George Gordon of the Caledonians. The most enjoyable feature was the sale of the boxes and Mr. Samuel Taylor, as auctioneer, was successful in bringing good prices. Refreshments were then served and the contents of the boxes partaken of, after which general dancing was indulged. Prof. J. E Buckley accompanied the singers and Pease's orchestra provided music for the dancing. A housewarming will be held next Wednesday in the new quarters, the old G. A. R. hall, over French & Puffer's on Central street.

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MORE TESTIMONY

Against the Turks in Armenian Outrages.

DIABOLICAL DEEDS AT SASSOUN AND ELSEWHERE.

Related by Missionary Witnesses of the Massacres.

BUFFALO, Nov. 29.—Misses Charlotte E. Ely and Mary A. C. Ely have just returned home after a long period of missionary labor in eastern Turkey, under the direction of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. Their absence has covered a space of 27 years, and as soon as affairs in the disturbed districts have quieted down, they will return to Turkey.

Speaking of the Sassoun massacres, a large part of which occurred at Moosh, Miss Mary Ely said: "The massacre was undoubtedly planned by the porte. The immediate provocation came about as follows: The Kurds were in the habit of raiding the flocks of the Armenians. The Armenians, impoverished by repeated acts of robbery, banded together for the purpose of recovering their flocks from the Kurds. When the two parties met, of course there was fighting. Two Moslems were killed and several Christians. Then the Kurds mutilated the bodies of their slain countrymen. After that the corpses were carried to the headquarters of the provincial government at Bitlis and shown to Vali Tahsin. 'See what the Christians are doing to us!' they exclaimed to the vali."

It was, Miss Ely declared, the Turkish regular soldiery who did the most of the killing during the massacres, while the Kurds stole the property. Returning to her narrative, Miss Ely said that after the first collision a series of retaliatory conflicts took place. That was a year ago last August. Soon afterward, Tahsin Pasha went in person to Galigosun, a village in the Sassoun province, and in person ordered the massacre of the Armenian Christians. He wore, suspended by a cord around his neck, an imperial edict from the porte commanding him to "chastise" the Christians. This was read to the Turkish soldiers, who had been massed at that place from all that part of Asia Minor.

"Before the reading was completed," continued Miss Ely, "as if unable to delay the diabolical deeds, Tahsin Pasha gave the order to 'smite' the Christians. Then followed a scene almost too awful to describe."

The returned missionaries says that it was hard to pick specific instances out of such an inferno of cruelty, but mentioned the following:

"The soldiers would toss children up into the air and catch them on their bayonets when they came down. At other times, they would stand a number of children in a row, each Turk would take a child by the hair, and then they would see which one could cut off his victim's head the quickest. When Tahsin Pasha started out on his mission of butchery he took along with him a large quantity of kerosene oil for the purpose of the removing by fire all vestiges of the disgraceful work which he contemplated. This oil was afterward used to saturate the clothing of living beings, and then a match would be applied."

At this point Miss Charlotte Ely remarked: "I saw one boy with the whole side of his face burned away. He told me that he had been attacked by the Turks and then thrown on a heap of coals, being left for dead."

Miss Ely was asked about the treatment of Armenian women by the soldiers. "The violation of women and girls by the Turks was one of the commonest and one of the worst features of the whole horrible affair. In one instance scores of them were shut up in a church and kept there all night by the soldiers. In the morning they were all murdered. One witness told me he saw the blood flow over the threshold of the building."

COLD-BLOODED DEEDS.

Christians Slaughtered Without Mercy and Dwellings Burned.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs to his paper that the embassies there have learned that in the massacre at Marash on Nov. 18, 1000 persons were killed. The Christian quarters of the town were burned from three points.

A letter received here describing the previous massacre says that before it commenced the town crier ordered the Christians' shops to be opened under a penalty for refusal. It was then the pillage and the murder began. The writer of this letter, who had been a pilo-Turk, adds that there was no sign of either a rising or resistance on the part of the Christians.

The Daily News' correspondent in Constantinople also says that the embassies hear from their consuls that all possibility of rendering assistance to the Sassounites who were the victims of the outrages at that point has been ended, and that the Kurds are whipping them out of existence, and have destroyed all the buildings which have been erected by the expenditure of the English relief fund. A similar story comes from the Van country, where the disturbances continue as badly as ever.

A Vienna dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says that the proposed naval demonstration by the powers against Turkey is now regarded as futile as a restraining influence. The latest news received from the interior of Turkey has a depressing influence on the diplomatic circle. Reports have been received that renewed attempts to massacre the surviving Armenians at Erzroom have resulted in eight being killed. Some of the priests, in sheer despair, are advising their flock to save their lives by embracing Islam.

ITALY'S ATTITUDE.

Discussion of Past Events Cuts No Figure at Present.

ROME, Nov. 29.—Important statements were made in the chamber of deputies last night by Premier Crispi and by Baron Blanc, Italian minister of foreign affairs, concerning questions of Italy's internal and foreign policy, and especially her attitude toward Turkey, and incidentally her attitude to other powers.

Regarding Turkey, the premier said that the powers are in accord, and he was confident that the peace would not be disturbed. If it were disturbed, however, Italy would not repeat her old mistakes, and would see her rights safeguarded.

Baron Blanc, the minister of foreign affairs, followed the premier with a long explanation of the Italian position on the Turkish question. He denied that Italy had attempted any isolated action on this question, and asserted that her endeavors throughout had been devoted to converting concerted action by these powers into concerted action by six powers.

While the European situation was good, the minister went on to say, the condition of affairs in the Turkish provinces remained troubled. The porte had addressed to the powers remarks—if, indeed, they might not be called reproaches—hoping thereby to delay matters at the risk of again aggravating the situation.

"The porte will commit an error," Baron Blanc concluded saying, "if it thinks the present situation can be solved by diplomatic discussions of past events, when we are face to face with the atrocious deeds that have provoked universal horror, and with the peril of latent anarchy, to an outbreak of which at any moment Europe cannot leave herself exposed."

Each foreign squadron in Turkish waters was a door open to civilization and beneficent influences to those obscure regions where mixed races were still deprived of the guarantees promised by Turkey to Europe.

The porte would make a mistake in exercising, even in regard to the additional guardships asked by the powers, the privilege accorded to it by treaties to restrict naval protection in the pacific interests of the powers.

Sultan's Reign Should End.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 29.—Nearly 500 Armenians held impressive services here yesterday out of sorrow for the murdered in their fatherland. A requiem mass was followed by a street parade and speaking in Association hall. Resolutions denouncing all faith in the sultan, and appealing for autonomy under European power and relief for the suffering, were adopted to be sent to the civilized powers of the world. Resolutions thanking the press of the country were adopted.

An Urgent Request.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Rev. Judson Smith, D.D., secretary of the foreign department of the American board of missions, last evening received a cablegram from one of the representatives of the board in Constantinople. It reads: "Induce Red Cross society to enter relief work as in war time. Urgency extreme for action by organization under international protection. Four hundred thousand people destitute. Ordinary channels of relief closed."

Off For Turkey.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The cruiser Minneapolis passed out through the Chesapeake capes at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning, bound for Turkey. She probably will make the trip in about 15 days, touching, perhaps, at Gibraltar for mail.

Dumas Dead.

PARIS, Nov. 27.—Alexandre Dumas died Wednesday evening. He was born in Paris, July 28, 1824, and was the illegitimate son of the famous author of "Monte Cristo," by a girl of obscure origin, and the grandson of General Dumas, who was himself the son of the Marquis de Pailleterie and a full-blooded negress of the island of San Domingo. Dumas, the younger, came naturally by his literary genius, since his father was the creator of at least 100 novels. For 20 years Dumas was one of the "40 immortals," as the members of the French Academy are called.

Caucus of House Republicans.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Eleven of the 22 Republican representatives from the south (excluding Missouri) in the house met last night to determine upon their action respecting their choice of officers for that body. The slate already made up leaves the south without any representation in the elective officers of the house. After considerable discussion, it was resolved to stand by General Henderson of Illinois for the position of clerk, and the surmise is that W. S. Tipton of Tennessee will be supported for the position of sergeant-at-arms.

Was Under Indictment.

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., Nov. 29.—Charles S. Witham, who was under indictment and $5000 bail for killing Dr. Farnsworth at Malden, Mass., died at his father's house in Southport of consumption. He was 35 years old. Last spring Witham met Dr. Farnsworth and fired three shots at him, two of which took effect, and he died from his injuries a few days afterward. At the time it was alleged that Dr. Farnsworth was too intimate with Witham's wife, and was trying to break up Witham's home.

A Hundred Thousand Visitors.

ATLANTA, Nov. 29.—Yesterday was set apart at the exposition as Atlanta and South Carolina day combined, and the prediction that it would be the greatest day in point of attendance in the history of the show was verified. Over 100,000 visitors were in the city, more strangers than were ever in Atlanta before, and the capacity of the turnstiles at the exposition entrances were taxed to the utmost.

Snap For Smugglers.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 29.—The jail is now almost free of smugglers. Two brothers named Powers alone remain in custody, they refusing to withdraw a suit recently entered against the keeper of the penitentiary for a breach of the habeas corpus act. Those released paid half their fines, all of them being supporters of the government. The public condemns this proceeding.

Call For a Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A caucus of the Republican senators will be held after the adjournment of the senate on Monday next. A sufficient number of names have been signed to a call to insure a caucus, which will consider the party policy for the coming session.

Steamer Disabled.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The tank steamer Henri, in ballast, from Antwerp for Philadelphia, sustained considerable damage by having grounded on one of the bars off Sable island. She will have to go into drydock.

Life Had Lost Its Charms.

HANOVER, N. H., Nov. 29.—Joseph Murdock, a life-long resident of Norwich, Vt., was found hanging from a tree near his house yesterday. He was despondent.

In Express Train's Way.

UXBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29.—John C. Leary, 60 years old, of Millville, was struck by an express train yesterday and instantly killed.

Seamen Eyed With Suspicion.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Captain Wiborg of the Danish steamer Horsa and his first and second mates were arrested yesterday charged with violation of the neutrality laws. The affidavits was made by Dr. Jose Congosta, the Spanish consul, and specifically avers that on Nov. 9 last the defendants set on foot a military expedition to Cuba. The prisoners were held in $1500 bail each for a hearing. Warrants were also issued for the arrest of Captain Svanoe and his two mates of the steamer Leon, on a similar charge.

A Three-Round Battle.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 29.—Jack Ward of Newark knocked "Tug" Sayer of Boston out in three rounds before the Eureka Athletic club last night.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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The men on the street department were paid Wednesday.

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Morning Star Temple, I. O. G. T. held an interesting meeting, Wednesday evening.

Putnam & Son presented each of their married employes a Thanksgiving turkey.

The Appleton company is having removed from the Parker block the goods damaged by the recent fire.

Michael Norton fell down a flight of stairs at 186 Church street, yesterday morning, and received several severe cuts. He was taken to St. John's hospital.

The British American association held a concert and dance in Manchester Unity hall, Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance and everybody had a good time.

Fell Down Stairs.

Miss Ethel Paradis of First street, while descending from the gallery of the First Congregational church yesterday morning, fell down a portion of the stairs and received a severe shaking up.

The Banquet Was Postponed.

Dick Bray was to have entertainted the employes of the lands and buildings department at the Richardson house, Wednesday evening, but owing to the fact that one member was being married and another had died that day, the affair was postponed.

Hurt in the Hosiery.

A boy about 15 years old, named Waterman, fell down a flight of stairs in the Lawrence hosiery Wednesday afternoon, breaking his nose and sustaining minor hurts. He was taken to the Lowell General hospital.

The Reform Club Entertains Friends.

The Reform club gave a complimentary dance at their hall Wednesday evening and 300 people were present.

John F. Harrigan was general manager, and Thomas A. Nugent was floor director, John M. Hogan was chief of the aids, and Hugh Williams chairman of the reception committee.

A Question For the Commissioners.

The question is being asked by a number of people "Did not the police commissioners make a mistake in their punishment of Officers Grady and Breault?" One of those who ask the question claims that under similar circumstances, police officers in some other city won out in a suit to recover the amount of the fine.

WILLIAM TO JOSEPH.

Mayor Courtney Shakes Mr. Miller's Hand.

Mayor Courtney met his opponent, Joe Miller, in a barber shop Wednesday afternoon.

The mayor never knew who Joseph was till somebody whispered in his ear, "there's Mr. Miller."

Then, when the barber had finished with him, the mayor walked over, introduced himself and shook hands with Mr. Miller. They exchanged a few pleasant words and parted—friends.

PERSONAL.

Miss Robb of Philadelphia is visiting Mrs. Victor I. Cumnock.

The engagement of Miss Bertha Barker to Mr. Fred N. Wier is announced.

Mrs. George Jewett of Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting Mrs. A. S. Adams of Highland street.

Walter Knowles of the Highland military academy, Worcester is spending a few days at his home in this city. Mr. Dickson of the same institution is his guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace C. Lambert, who left the city for a new home in Somerville after their marriage, had a very successful reception yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Lambert, 288 Pawtucket street.

The wedding of Miss Mary G. Sawyer and Mr. Charles L. Knapp is announced to take place at the residence of Mr. Hamilton J. Sawyer the father of Miss Sawyer, in Butterfield street, on the afternoon of December 10th.

BOWLING NEWS.

The Vespers were beaten Wednesday night. The Salem club put up a great score on its own alleys, and defeated the champions by 350 pins. It was a game of high scores for the Salems as the following totals will show:

Salems—Broadway 548, Hay 565, Hull 545, Carter 525, Brophy 628; total 2811.

Vespers—Swift 484, Grover 502, Perley 417, Dahlberg 501, Bean 460; total 2401.

Middlesex Team Wins Again.

The Middlesex team of the Merrimack Valley league has a knack of getting a lead in a game that is difficult to overcome. Wednesday night the team was pitted against the Lawrences on Les Miserables alleys and put up a good score. The totals:

Middlesex—Morse 493, Gregory 560, Halstead 474, Clogston 523, Rogers 476; total 2526.

Lawrence—Eastman 470, Lanigan 435, Hanley 478, Robinson 523, Bruce 604; total 2500.

Highland Club Tournament.

At the Highland club Wednesday night Team Two defeated Team Three after this fashion:

Team 2—Sturtevant 456, Hartwell 552, Pratt 441, Coburn 425, Barclay 407; total 2281.

Team 3—Sherburne 506, Wilson 450, Ranlett 477, Carter 400, Kilgore 332, total 2221.

The Policeman at It.

A team from the 6.10 shift bowled a team of coppers from the 12.30 shift, Wednesday, and the latter won by the following score:

12.30 shift—Brosnan 467, Brenult 469, Welch 374, Lleghton 410, Hurley 496 total 2216.

6 10 shift—Maher 400, Swan 438 Burnett 402, Ryan 446, Donaldson 446; total 2133.

The Butcher's Tournament.

Jewett & Swift's team took a game from the Old Guards on the Olympic alleys last evening. The score:

Jewett & Swift—Sheehy 487, Saunders 467, Broadbent 481, Chichen 549, Clark 462; total 2446.

Old Guards—Gray 456, McKellop 388, McSorley 487, Ryan 435, Saunders 470; total 2236.

Highland Club Bowlers.

Team ten won from Team seven in the tournament game last night by the following totals:

Team 10—Dearborn 520, Kittredge 494, G. F. Stiles 434, Church 480, Alley 420; total 2348.

Team 7—Anderson 499, Snyder 439, Jones 399, Gaylor 465, A. B. Leighton 420; total 2222.

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A Professional Nurse Afflicted With Bright's Disease of the Kidneys Finds a Cure.

(From the Buffalo News.)

Mrs. A. E. Taylor has resided in Buffalo for over 40 years, her address is 250 Herkimer avenue, as a professional nurse, she has nursed back to health many a sufferer. Disease in all its varied form, have become as familiar to her as to the regular practitioner. Her occupation is one that taxes the strongest constitution, but the fatigue of long watching and nursing at last brought her to a bed of sickness. Mrs. Taylor speaks of her complaint and cure as follows: "After being confined to my bed for some time my disease assumed such a serious aspect that a doctor was called in. He pronounced my ailment Bright's disease of kidneys in the third degree and a very bad case. My limbs swelled up so that I could not walk across the floor, or, indeed, help myself in any way. My face bloated up and my eyes swelled so that the sight was badly impaired. This condition continued for nearly two months without any marked improvment from the doctor's treatment. I have taken quarts of buchu and juniper. I tried battery treatment, but all without any lasting benefit, until I felt like finally giving up in despair. Hearing of Doan's Kidney pills I gave them a trial, and after taking three boxes I was able to get up without assistance and walk, something I had not done in months. I continued steadily to improve with their use. The swelling in my leg left, the color returned to my face, changing from a chalky color to a healthy bloom. I now consider myself entirely cured and I shall never rest praising the little pill that saved me.

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MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. Charles D. Foley of the lands and buildings department and Miss Sabina F. Dowd, sister of ex-City Clerk Dowd, were united in marriage at St. Patrick's parochial residence, Wednesday evening, by Rev. D. J. Gleason.

Michael J. Burns was best man and Miss Celia Dowd was bridesmaid.

The bride's dress was of white lansdown with chiffon and pearl trimmings. The bridesmaid wore a gown with velvet figures and chiffon trimmings.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride in Dane Street avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Foley have gone on a wedding tour and on their return will reside at 37 Newhall street.

De Wert-Cullen.

Mr. Walter De Wert and Miss Maggie V. Cullen were united in marriage at the parochial residence of the church of the Immaculate Conception Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Fr. Joyce.

The bride, gowned in blue silk, trimmed with chiffon lace and carrying white roses was attended by Miss Lizzie Kenney as bridesmaid. William Stamig was best man.

The happy couple are enjoying their honeymoon in New York.

Flaherty-Hines.

At the Immaculate Conception church, Wednesday, Mr. Patrick Flaherty of Manchester was united in marriage to Miss Katie Hines of this city. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. The bride's gown was of fawn colored silk. From 10 to 12, the reception was held at the home of the bride's cousin at Concord and Sherman streets. Mr. and Mrs. Flaherty will be at home after Dec. 10, at 804 Main street, Manchester.

Paasche-Figved.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Paasche in Chelmsford, Wednesday forenoon, at 11 o'clock in the presence of family friends only, Mr. P. Justin Paasche and Miss Marie J. Figved, both of Boston, were united in marriage by Rev. Wilson Waters, rector of All Saints' church. The bridegroom is a brother of Mrs. Alfred Paasche, and holds a responsible position in the office of the Cunard steamship company.

Fox-Woodworth.

At 238 East Merrimack street, Nov. 27, Miss Myrtle A. Woodworth was united in wedlock to Mr. Samuel Fox, in the presence of a few relatives and friends. Rev. Dr. Court performed the ceremony. Miss Annie Fox was bridesmaid and Mr. Geo. Fox was best man. The happy pair left Lowell by the 6.24 p. m. train for a short bridal tour.

Hancock-Hunt.

At 13 Watson avenue, November 27, Mr. James W. Hancock and Miss Louisa M. Hunt were united in marriage by the Rev. Robert Court, D. D., in the presence of relatives and friends. Miss Bertha M. Hancock was bridesmaid and Mr. Isaac R. Cox was best man. The gifts were numerous and valuable.

Farrell-Knox.

At the Presbyterian parsonage, Appleton street, November 27, Mr. Albert E. Farrell and Miss Nellie E. Knox were married by Rev. Dr. Robert Court.

Saunders-Titcomb.

A pretty Thanksgiving wedding occurred yesterday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Saunders at 119 Middlesex street. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank W. Saunders and Miss Florence Sadie Titcomb. Rev. W. W. Harris performed the ceremony and was assisted by Rev. Mr. Stratton.

The bride wore a gown of old rose radamar silk, with iridiscent trimmings, and white slippers. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses.

The bridesmaid was dressed in a gown of steel blue silk, trimmed with jet garniture with white corsage and slippers. Her bouquet was of pink roses.

A reception was held after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders have gone on a wedding tour and on their return will reside at 119 Middlesex street.

Sullivan-Flanagan.

The marriage of Mr. David Sullivan, of the well known firm of Barney & Co. and Miss Mary A Flanagan, the popular young reader, was solemnized at St. Peter's parsonage, Thanksgiving eve, Rev. Fr. McManus performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Conners and William F. Sullivan was the best man. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride on Westford street where a reception was held, at which many friends of the young couple tendered their congratulations. During the evening an elaborate wedding supper was served, after which a delightful social time led up to the departure of the happy couple on their honeymoon, which will include a tour of New York and Washington. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan will reside at 217 Appleton street. The wedding gifts were magnificent and in abundance. Seldom has it been the good fortune of a young couple in private life to receive such a great variety of presents, which included about everything necessary to begin housekeeping. They are a popular young couple and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

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CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The football game between Boston and Chicago athletic clubs resulted in a tie after the hardest battle ever fought in the west. Score, 4 to 4.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The Boston university and Boston college football game yesterday was one of the fiercest slugging matches ever seen in this city, and a number of players on both sides were maimed and bruised. Brewin, fullback of Boston college, was carried unconscious from the field, suffering from a broken rib and probable internal injuries. Brock, a university substitute, was also badly injured, and is in a critical condition. Two others were badly hurt. Boston university won—22 to 0.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The University of Pennsylvania football eleven yesterday defeated the Cornell team by the score of 46 to 2, thus winding up the football season with a clean record of victories to her credit.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—The victory of Brown over Dartmouth by a score of 10 to 4 yesterday places Brown in the third place in the football series of New England colleges.

RICHMOND, Nov. 29.—The University of Virginia won the championship of the south yesterday by defeating the University of North Carolina 6 to 0.

At San Francisco—Stanford university, 6; University of California, 5.

At Rochester—Hamilton college, 12; University of Rochester, 0.

At Lancaster, Pa.—Franklin and Marshall, 48; Swarthmore, 0.

At Kansas City—Missouri university, 10; Kansas university, 6.

At Chicago—University of Michigan, 12; University of Chicago, 0.

At New Haven—Yale freshmen, 16; Princeton freshmen, 6.

At Cleveland—Pennsylvania State college, 8; Adelbert, 8.

At Columbus, O.—Ohio 'varsity, 12; Kenyon college, 10.

At Boston—Boston university, 22; Boston college, 0.

At Louisville—Louisville A. C., 12; Depauw, 10.

At Baltimore—Lehigh, 10; Baltimore A. C., 0.

At New York—Indian school, 16; Y. M. C. A., 4.

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OUR NAVY.

Conclusions Arrived at by Professor Hollis, Ex-Chief Engineer.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29.—Professor Ira N. Hollis of Harvard university, and formerly chief engineer of the United States navy, was seen last night in regard to his statements relative to the present condition of the navy. He said:

"To say that the present condition of the navy is a disgrace to this country is a pretty sweeping remark for a man to make. What I mean is that judging from the navy reports I consider certain things in the department a disgrace to the navy. Secretary Herbert is making a plea for the half of the navy that does not need it, really the men of the line, while the engineer corps, which needs building up, are neglected.

"Just look in Chief Engineer Melville's reports. They have constantly been reducing the engineer service. Just after the war we had ships that cost $950,000, with $75,000 worth of machinery. Now we have ships costing $3,000,000, and the machinery costing $1,000,000, and yet the engineer corps, instead of having been increased, has been reduced. As the engineer's reports show, over and over again, the corps is inadequate in numbers. Several years ago a slight collision occurred (the Baltimore), which was directly traceable to lack of sufficient engineer officers.

"From my own personal experience, and I was 19 years in the service, I can corroborate the testimony of the engineer-in-chief. The navy is now run by a clique of the men of the line in Washington. I and many others have felt called upon to resign on account of the way the engineer corps were treated. I deeply regret the condition in which the navy appears to be today, but I honestly think that in case of war we would find ourselves next to useless on the water."

Perryman Out.

EUFAULA, I. T., Nov. 29.—The long-drawn-out impeachment proceedings against L. C. Perryman, the retiring chief of the Creek nation, terminated in his conviction of maladministration in office. The only penalty is incapacity for holding office.

Brazil's Loss.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 29.—The Brazilian cruiser Uranus has been wrecked, the commander and five of the crew being drowned.

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SECOND EDITION

A GLORIOUS DAY

Was Thanksgiving as Observed Here Yesterday.

IT WAS A DAY OF REAL THANKSGIVING;

Account of the Features of the Observance.

Yesterday was one of the most delightful Thanksgiving days enjoyed for many years. The sky was clear and the sun shone with a warmth unusual at this season. The vast number of people who were seen along the streets in carriages, on foot and on bicycles gave evidence of the general enjoyment of the day. In Lowell the sports were few and it is gratifying to note that the observance was marked by no crime, no bad accident, no debauchery. It was really a day of Thanksgiving by all the people.

At the Lowell Jail

The prisoners at the Lowell jail had their turkey yesterday. They did not sit around tables and chat merrily as they ate Thanksgiving dinner. Instead, each prisoner relished turkey in his own little cell. After dinner, the men were allowed the freedom of the yard.

At the City Farm.

Supt. Collins gave his inmates a real old turkey dinner yesterday. All the "fixins" went with the bird. In the afternoon the men were allowed to play hand-ball and foot-ball in the yard.

The Truants Had a Good Time.

Up at the truant school, Supt. Warren saw to it that his charges enjoyed themselves. The little fellows had a fine dinner, and they were allowed to play around at will.

Burkes' Bachelor Party.

The Burkes held a Batchelor party last evening complimentary to members and lady friends. There was an attendance of about 400, and the Columbian orchestra furnished music for dancing till 12 o'clock. John P. Farley was general manager; assistant, Frank Clarke; floor director, John Coughlin; assistant, Michael Markham; aids Edward Lowney, John Cox, Wm. McCarthy, Wm. Daly, James Redmond and James McGarrahan.

Their First Was a Success.

The members of the Winchester social club gave their first annual assembly in Runel's block last evening and thirty or more couples were present. The floor officers were Thomas Clark, floor director; James McHale, assistant, Edward Skee, general manager; Michael Gaffney, assistant, aid, John McHale.

Thanksgiving Y. M. C. A. Dinner.

The annual Thanksgiving dinner for young men away from home was held yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. hall and was a great success. The dinner occurred at 7 o'clock and 200 plates were laid. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Denney. The dinner occupied an hour and at its conclusion Director J. Edward Gibson called to order and remarks were made by Director Floyd, Secretary Jones, Physical Director Kable, with music interspersed by the Lyceum orchestra.

The efficient committee of arrangements consisted of Mrs. H. C. Fuller, chairman; Mrs. A. C. Russell, Mrs. O. H. Denney, Mrs. J. E. Gibson, Mrs. T. W. Greenslitt, Mrs. J. W. Coburn, Mrs. W. Gilman and Miss Mattie Buttrick.

The young ladies who acted as waitresses were Misses Estella Conrad, Lillian McKewin, Gertrude Boothby, May and Laura Cummings, Grace Blodgett, Corinna Cover, Nellie Loring, Helen Bradford, Mary R. Kerr, Josephine Webster, Evelyn Wilson, Cora Hayes, Nellie Morrison, Etta Rutherford, Grace Bachelder and Lilia Sturtevant.

Ippos Played Football.

The Ippos defeated a team from the South common at football yesterday the battle taking place on the Atherton grounds. The final score stood 14 to 0 in favor of the Ippos. The line up was as follows:

IPPOS.		COMMONS.
Melikejohn	f. b.	Bean
H. Crosby	l. b.	Farley
Shepard	q. b.	Crawford
Hindle	r. b.	Coughlin
Hallowell	l. e.	Daly
Davis	l. t.	Kelley
Hodgman	l. g.	Smith
B. C. Crosby	c.	Delehanty
Dayton	r. g.	Kelliher
Rhodes	r. t.	Regan
Whittaker	r. e.	Quinley

Touchdowns—Hindle, Shepard; umpire, B. Dixon; goals from touchdowns, Melikejohn 2; linesman, Townsend; one safety for the Ippos.

THE FIREMEN'S BALL.

A Most Enjoyable Occasion with a Large Attendance.

The fire laddies were out in all their glory Wednesday night, the occasion being their annual ball in aid of the firemen's fund, held in Huntington hall.

Fortunately there were no alarms and the fun went on uninterrupted until the early hours. The hall was prettily decorated with bunting by Young while McMammon had artistic floral decorations on the stage.

From 8 until 9 the American orchestra entertained the audience with some of the latest musical compositions.

The concert over, neat dance orders were distributed. Then the orchestra struck up a Wagnerian march and Chief Hosmer with his daughter, Miss Emma Hosmer, led off, Mayor Courtney and Miss Smith followed and then came one hundred or more couples.

After the march general dancing was enjoyed the floor being crowded until quite late.

Chief Hosmer made a courteous general manager and first assistant engineer J. F. Norton knew his business as floor director. His aids were:

J. W. Jantzen, Fred Boynton, B. C. Reed, J. J. Quinlan, J. H. Joyce, E. F. Walsh, Charles Riley, B. J. Dunn, G. H. Chapman, J. J. McCafferty, J. F. Welch, J. J. Donohoe, C. A. Thompson, H. A. Merrill, H. B. Downs, W. H. Halstead.

On the committee on arrangements were the chief, J. F. Norton, Charles Stackpole, W. A. Dolan, Capt. S. E. Bartlett, J. F. McKissock.

These gentlemen were on the reception committee: Mayor, Wm. F. Courtney, ex-Mayor C. D. Palmer, Alderman Geo. H. Tryder, Alderman Wm. L. Hills, Councilman Edward T. Goward, Councilman James F. Miskella, Councilman Patrick H. Barry, ex-Alderman Geo. C. Evans, ex-Alderman Peter H. Donahoe, ex-Alderman Watson A. Dickinson, Engineer Geo. F. Salmon, Engineer Edward Meloy, Engineer Henry W. Burton.

Chris. Holmes' Capes.

POLICE NOTES.

Mathew Ford and Elmer Black, the two escaped convicts from the reformatory, were captured in Nashua, Tuesday evening, by Deputy Marshal Wheeler, Inspector Flood and Special Officer Hammel. They had tramped from Concord through Lowell to Nashua.

The Festive Bird Was Not Raffled.

The police, acting under instructions from headquarters, put a damper on the time honored raffles of turkeys, pigs, etc., and consequently there was much fun missed by the many who went to participate in such sports.

MUNICIPAL NOTES.

The committee on streets will meet Monday afternoon and evening.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN.

Thanksgiving Sport of Y. M. C. A. Physical Department Was Successful.

The annual cross-country run under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. was held yesterday morning and was successful.

The five mile race started from the gymnasium shortly after 10 o'clock. The handicap limit was five minutes, and Sumner Williams and A. T. Howe were the only men who started at this time. The other contestants were John McKinley, 4 m. 30 secs.; H. L. Gardner, 4m.; George Don, 3m. 30 sec.; H. L. Royer, B. Jacob and O. M. Kimball, 3m.; O. McFarland, 2m. 30 sec.; C. L. Pingree, 1m. 30 sec.; M. Casey and M. L. Muzzey, 1 m.; and J. Cameron and Frank Stevens, scratch.

Howe kept the lead to the finish. The other limit man, Sumner Williams, came in third, and McKinley came in second. Muzzey, a one minute man came in fourth and captured the time prize as well as fourth prize. His time was 28 minutes, 40 seconds. Howe's time was 29 minutes, 45 seconds.

The other evant was the half mile handicap, which was raced on the boulevard. The competitors were F. B. Looney and W. B. Thayer on scratch; F. G. Parks, 45 yards; E. C. Looney and M. Casey, 50 yards; W. L. Muzzey, 60 yards; J. G. Lee, 80 yards; and S. Murphy and E. McNally, 100 yards. Again a limit man, McNally, won first prize; Lee got second; E. C. Looney got third place, and F. B. Looney got fourth place and time prize. His time was 2 min, 10 seconds.

Quite a Move.

The overcoat buyers will no doubt be quite interested in the fact that O'Hearn & Dowd today offer their $25, $30 and $35 overcoats at $20 each. It is the earliest move on record and possibly the biggest in price cutting. The regular sizes can be found among their assortment as well as all sizes at $6, $8, $10, $12, $15 and $20, their regular lines. After this sale the firm say they have other surprises in store for the public. A big window display of the best goods is made by the firm in the old post office.

Chris. Holmes' Furs.

Mr. O'Neil Declines.

Thomas O'Neil, who was nominated for alderman by the democrats, has declined. Ira E. Shaw, one of the republican nominees, has also withdrawn his name from the ticket and Councilman Oliver has been nominated in his place.

Over in Ward six George A. Clark has declined the nomination of overseer of the poor.

Shannon-Hunt.

Mr. Luke Shannon and Miss Katie Hunt were married on Wednesday evening at St. Peter's parochial residence by Rev. Fr. McKenna. Miss Sarah Hunt was bridesmaid and Mr. John E. Maguire was best man. The bride and bridesmaid were attired in white henrietta and each carried a bouquet of roses. There was an abundance of costly and useful articles from relatives and friends. Refreshments were served at the residence of the bride 505 Lawrence street.

GOV. GREENHALGE

Joined in Union Thanksgiving Service.

AT THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH YESTERDAY.

His Reasons Why Citizens Should Be Thankful.

Gov. Greenhalge yesterday practised what he preached in his Thanksgiving proclamation.

In the First Congregational church in the presence of a congregation that crowded the large edifice and surrounded by a number of clergymen he delivered an address on "The Citizen and Thanksgiving."

The large platform was draped with the American flag and profusely decorated with pinks, chrysanthemums and evergreens.

Rev. Dr. Seymour opened the service and Rev. G. C. Wright read scripture. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. M. Greene, D. D., and Rev. C. M. Hall of the Central M. E. church spoke on "The Christian and Thanksgiving."

Rev. Dr. Seymour then introduced the governor, who said in substance:

"You have heard the subject assigned upon which a few words are expected from me. You remember also the subject assigned to the preceding speaker, upon which he has made so forcible and eloquent an address; but I declare that I do not see any practical difference between the two subjects, "The Christian and Thanksgiving" and "The Citizen and Thanksgiving." It seems to me my friends, that the two topics are identical, or, if they are not, they ought to be; that the Christian ought to be a citizen, and the citizen ought to be a Christian. If we view the practical work of the Christian, we shall find him doing practical substantial work as a citizen. If we find the citizen doing his full duty to the Commonwealth, not by loud proclamations, but in real active work, we shall find the citizen prominent in the work of the church. So I say, we ought to be thankful to realize the indissoluble bond, the unmistakable identity between the Christian and the citizen.

We have a right to be thankful in the first place here, my friends, for this beautiful day. I do not imagine that because one day out of three hundred sixty-five and one-fourth was set apart by the Pilgrim Fathers, that they meant the other three hundred sixty-four and one-fourth should be given up to repining, to complaint, to fault finding and to criticism and censure, and yet it must be remembered when we find so many who are eager to criticise throughout the year, that some people are never really happy unless they have an opportunity to find fault with something or other. As the gloomy members of the ancient colony sometimes missed God's smile to catch his frown, so it is that for the great part of the year the ninety-five per cent. of good is lost sight of and the five per cent. of failure and evil unduly and disproportionately magnified. So it may be well, my friends, to come here on this holy day and take an account of stock and see if the fault-finders are justified, and if it is not true that we who with full hearts return thanks to Almighty God are justified in our actions.

I say we are bound to return thanks, in the first place, for this, God's day, with its sunshine and its beauty. Why, it seems as if autumn in all her robes of loveliness were pausing to deliver a sweet farewell, while winter, clad in icy mail like a grim knight, still had courtesy enough to allow her to pass away forever, and we get the beauty of autumn with scarcely a suggestion of the winter that is at hand. So I say, even in this outward manifestation of the beauty of the Lord, we are called upon for gratitude.

And then the fathers believed in publicly coming together and rendering thanks to the Almighty Father for the mercies which he had given and for the misfortunes which he had spared them.

As Massachusetts kneels today in her robes of splendor and majesty, she does it not in the spirit of the Pharisee, thanking God she is not as others are; she kneels there with all the traditional grandeur about her, and with the jewels of Atlanta just won, and yet not in a spirit of vain glory, not in a spirit of pride or boastfulness, but in the spirit of devout thankfulness to the God of the fathers, who has been with the children as He was with them.

This is a christian commonwealth. It has been from the beginning, and yet freedom, civil and religious, has been the very key note, the very divine music which has sounded from the beginning, when they united upon the desolate sea shore, down to this Thanksgiving day of 1895. And we have a right to thank God today because, other things being equal, the citizen of Massachusetts has more opportunity to follow out his way of everlasting life, to get more out of life, which is a suggestion of immoratality, we believe, than the citizens of any other commonwealth in the world. Our institutions are based upon that principle, the right of education, God given. And I take special pride in assuring those who are doubtful or faint-hearted, that the system of public education in Massachusetts is the foundation stone which has just received its reward.

The last speaker was Rev. J. O. Campbell.

The Foresters' Danced.

The Foresters' and their friends danced away the hours of Thanksgiving eve at their hall in Pollard's block. The order contained 25 numbers and the majority of the dancers waited till the last number was finished.

The officers were: John A. O'Hearn, general manager, Thomas A. Green, floor marshal; Thomas F. Quinn, chief of 20 aids; L. J. Smith, chairman of a reception committee of 40.

During the intermission there was Irish reel and jig dancing.

Mr. Hurtubise a Candidate.

John B. Hurtubise has been nominated for the council in Ward one in place of Edward T. Goward who declined to stand.

The name of James F. Puffer has been placed on the ticket for overseer of the poor in Ward six, George A. Clark having declined.

In Ward five Anders Thomasson is the republican candidate for overseer of the poor.

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that there is no other tea used so extensively in this city today as the Garden Flower tea sold by us. If you are not useing it you don't use the best tea. Commercial Tea Co., cor. post-office.

LATEST

DAMAGE BY HIGH WATER.

Derricks Thrown Down at New Moody Street Bridge—More Damage Threatened.

The continued rains caused the Merrimack river to rise considerably last night and this morning. This morning was a trifle cooler than a spring day, but it did not hinder many people from visiting Pawtucket bridge to witness the small-sized flood as it passed over Pawtucket falls.

At the Moody street bridge location the water threw down derricks, and unless the flood decreases in the night it will cause an increased delay in the work of stone laying for the foundation. At the meeting of the committee on streets Wednesday afternoon it was voted to grant William H. Ward further time for the work.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

Three nights commencing Monday, Dec. 2nd, with Wednesday matinee. The Philadelphia Item says: "It is a great show," that was the unanimous verdict of the crowd that surged from the doors last night at the Lyceum theatre. The farce "Entitled College Days" with which the entertainment begins, is a scene of beauty, embellished by good singing, chaste and elegant ward robe shapely forms and winsome faces, the graceful dances introduced in this act are praiseworthy. The act ends with a very funny tableaux. Beautiful still, in the olio are some of the highest salaried artists in the Vaudeville profession, notable among which are the original Watson Sistors in their electrical creation, Triangular Giratorio, the most marvelous aerial act ever witnessed. the performance concludes with the funniest burlesque extant, introducing the clever Irish comedian, Mr. J. Vincent Bryce. See ad.

Y. M. C. I. DRAMATICS.

Out of the Shadows Produced With Fine Effect.

The dramatic club of the Y. M. C. I. gave three fine productions of the emotional drama, "Out of the Shadows," Wednesday evening, yesterday afternoon and evening. The Immaculate Conception school hall was crowded at all three performances.

The characters were as follows: Frederick Waldermar, a manufacturer, Mr. E. F. Shea, Johann Ramenoff, an outcast and ex-convict, Mr. J. E. Leary; Myron Arnold, Isabel's father, Mr. A. McQuade; Capt. Kendrick Arnold, her brother, Mr. T. F. Tobin; Lieut. Arthur Manley, Mr. J. P. Cox; James, family servant, Mr. J. H. Payne; Isabel, Waldermar's wife, Miss Nellie McGrade; Edith, her adopted daughter, Miss Annie Conlon; Mamie, their child, Miss Mamie McOsker.

The play was interesting from start to finish and the efforts of the amateurs were warmly applauded. Incidental to the play there was singing by the Y. M. C. I. double quartet.

VARNUM'S AXE FALLS.

And a Friend of Cookoo Delehanty Gets a Plano.

Supt. Varnum's hatchet fell again Tuesday, and the "cookoo" Delehanty landed.

Two faithful employes of the lands and buildings department, Joseph Convery and Patrick Grady, were allowed to go, and in the latter's place was put one of Delehanty's brothers.

"Joe" Convery is known to about every one in the city as a skilled mechanic and a good workman. He has been employed in the department for a long time.

Mr. Grady, according to Supt. Varnum, is also a faithful employe, but had to walk the plank to make room for Delehanty.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL.

Played Yesterday Forenoon at the Fair Grounds.

The Lowell and Haverhill teams played a game of foot ball at the Fair grounds yesterday forenoon. The audience was not as large as if the game had been in the afternoon.

Each team had "ringers" with it but nevertheless Lowell won out easily. Banks made the only goal and touchdowns were made by Tuttle and Herrick. Banks failed to kick a goal on his second chance and Tuttle did on his first. The line up.

LOWELL.		HAVERHILL.
Bagshaw	r. e.	Homans
Plaisted / Evans	r. t.	O'Connors
Nesmith	r. g.	Walker
Herrick	c.	Connor
Tuttle / Butler	l. g.	Carson
Pindar / Eastman	l. t.	Sprague
Benoit	q. b.	Wilders
Bowen / Leahy	l. h.	Gilmore
Wright	r. h.	Wright
Banks	f. b.	Ross
Burke	l. e.	Tucke

Special Meeting of the Aldermen.

Mayor Courtney has called a special meeting of the board of aldermen for this evening, to draw jurors.

Pure Blood

Is the great requisite for good health, because the blood is the vital fluid which carries nourishment and support to all the organs of the body. Make your blood pure now by the use of the great blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will overcome that tired feeling, give you an appetite, and sweet, refreshing sleep. The accompanying portrait is that of Prof. Edwin F. Norton, professor of French and German at Olivet College, Michigan. He writes: "It gives me pleasure to say that we have always found Hood's Sarsaparilla of great value and assistance in restoring vigor, appetite, etc., whenever we have used it."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the only True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye today.

Hood's Pills cure Habitual constipation. 25 cents.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

BUTLER—The remains the late Thomas H. Butler, the popular employe of the lands and buildings department, were consigned to their last resting place in the Catholic cemetery, yesterday afternoon, with simple religious services and in the presence of a great concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

The deceased had an extensive acquaintance in the city, particularly in old ward one, where he was a prime favorite and his death in the prime of life is greatly mourned.

Previous to the hour of the funeral the residence was visited by hundreds who looked for the last time upon the face of their deceased friend, and the funeral was unusually large for a young man in private life.

There were no services at the church, but at the graveside Rev. Fr. Gleason of St. Patrick's church, where deceased was a faithful attendant, read the committal service.

The bearers were Councilman Mansfield, Michael J. Garvey, Daniel J. Crowley, James H. Kennedy, Patrick Collins and Joseph F. Convery. Among those present at the funeral were many citizens prominent in public and private life, including the Ward one members of the common council.

INESON—The funeral of Scholes Ineson was held at 17 South Whipple street, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Rival officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Blackmer, Whitaker, Whittier, and Langly. Interment was in Edson cemetery.

BUTTERS—The funeral of Mary, wife of George Butters, was held at East Chelmsford Tuesday at 1 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Seymour officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Atwood, Severence, Pierce and Fuller. The interment was in the Edson cemetery.

FALLON—St. Patrick's church was crowded this morning with friends and relatives of the late Ann Fallon, where services were held for the repose of her soul. A high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Gleason. The choir directed by E. F. Faulkner rendered Schmidt's requiem mass.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Mathew Murtha, Patrick Skiffington, Michael Skiffington, Frank Riley, John Dugan and Peter Fitzgerald. After the service the funeral cortege, which was a very long one, proceeded to the Catholic cemetery where the interment took place. Deceased was an old member of St. Patrick's parish and was well acquainted among the older residents.

O'CONNELL—The funeral of the late Mary O'Connell occurred from her home in Railroad street, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and was largely attended. Requiem was sung in St. Patrick's church and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery, J. F. Rogers in charge.

MORAN—The funeral of the late John Moran who was fatally injured Tuesday night occurred from the Sacred Heart church yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and was very largely attended. Requiem mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Gagnon. O. M. I., and the committal service was read Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I. The bearers were Messrs. Michael McCue, Dennis Healey, and James McCusker of Court Columbus, of which deceased was a popular member. Fred Vinal, engineer of the locomotive on which deceased was employed, John J. Mahoney and James McGuane. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Rogers and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

LOCAL NOTES.

The Y. W. C. A. entertained a number of young ladies at its rooms last evening.

Victoria lodge, Manchester Unity, Odd Ladies, held a concert in the M. U. hall last evening.

The French people of the Central M. E. church held a concert in the church vestry last night which was well attended.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunne, of Springfield, passed Thanksgiving in this city as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Walker of Hanks street.

Miss Louise Imogene Guiney, the poetess, spent Thanksgiving in this city as the guest of her uncle, William Guiney, of Wilder street.

The Chelmsford Coons held their annual merry-making in the Chelmsford town hall last night. The Coons and their friends danced and enjoyed themselves as only happy people can.

The F. O. and F. H. club gave its first sunlight and ball at Associate hall yesterday afternoon and evening. A long order of dances was the program at both meetings of the club. Hibbard's orchestra furnished the music.

Mr. J. C. Dunbar, a Boston showman, is in town to-day looking over the field for a "continuous performance" theatre, to be run on the plan of Keiths. Mr. Dunbar was formerly manager for Keith and at present runs theatres in Fall River and Salem.

Some people wonder how it is that the Merrimack Clothing Co. is disposing of so large a number of overcoats. The reason is that they not only look well and fit well but wear well. If you want to be one of the best dressed men in the city call at the Merrimack Clothing Company's store.

Louis M. Lemerise, Esq., the well known young French attorney entertained a party of gentlemen friends at his home on Moody street, yesterday afternoon. An elaborate spread was served which included that famous Thanksgiving dish "cochon" with all its palatable "fixins." A fine time was enjoyed by all. Mayor Courtney was one of the guests.

PAWTUCKET STREET CROSSING.

The Danger Removed But the Thoroughfare Destroyed.

The railroad tracks between Wilder street and Pawtucket street have been lowered several feet and a bridge is to be built across there near the junction of Pawtucket and Middlesex streets. It will be so high that very few teams will care to cross it. The danger of the crossing will be removed but that part of Pawtucket street, as a public highway, will practically be destroyed.

St. Anne's Mission.

The ninth annual concert and sale in aid of St. Anne's Mission was held in the Talbot Memorial hall, North Billerica, last evening, and it was a pronounced success. The entertainment included the presentation of two delightful operettas and musical and literary selections by Lowell talent.

That North Billerica Road.

The county commissioners gave a hearing this morning at the court house in regard to the new road from North Billerica to Lowell.

George H. Richardson appeared for the railroad and objected to paying a share in carrying the new road over the tracks. The hearing was postponed to December 10th.

Chris. Holmes' Mackintoshes.

THE SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

CARDINALS MADE

Mgr. Satolli Officially Promoted to Cardinalate.

HOLY FATHER PRESIDED AT CONSISTORY TODAY.

Eight Others Also Receive the Red Hat.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROME, Nov. 29—The pope today presided at a consistory and appointed nine new cardinals, one of them being Monsignor Satolli of this country. The others were the Archbishops of Lamberg, Salsburg, Valladolid and Bourges, Mgr. Goth of Brazil and the bishops of Autumergal and Ancola.

BIG STEAMSHIP POOL.

Trans-Atlantic Lines Will Endeavor to Advance Rates.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—A local paper states the Cunard, White Star, Allan and State lines of steamships have entered a pool similar to the railroad pool for the purpose of raising the rates of passage. The steerage will be considered first.

TURKEY STILL LIVES

Though Great Britain May Roast Her in a Day or Two.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 29—The situation is grave, and within a day or two, either the Sultan or the British Ambassador must give. The Ambassador asked the Sultan for an order allowing an extra gunboat to run through the Dardanelles and the Sultan refused.

The gunboat will arrive within 24 hours and the British ambassador will have either to back down or force a passage. He has cabled for special instructions from his government.

Volunteers Against Cuba.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

MADRID, Nov. 29.—Six thousand Spanish residents of Algeria have volunteered their services with the troops in Cuba.

A New Minister to U. S.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

LISBON, Nov. 29.—Senor Cynlonachado has been appointed Portuguese minister to the United States.

Two Sailors Asphyxiated.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Two sailors supposed to belong to the steamer Egyptian were found dead in a room this morning. They were asphyxiated.

The Next Prohib. Convention.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The national committee of the prohibition party will meet here on Dec. 11 to decide upon a place to hold the next national convention. Chicago, Cleveland, Baltimore and Des Monses are after it. The question of fusion with the populists will be considered.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all Try us.

WRIT OF INJUNCTION SERVED

TO PREVENT MAYOR COURTNEY FROM SIGNING CONTRACT.

For the Moody Street Bridge—May Cause Delay But Nothing More.

Writs of injunction were served yesterday afternoon to prevent Mayor Courtney from signing the contract for the building of the iron work on the Moody street bridge.

The writs were served on William E. Courtney, mayor; Charles F. Coburn, city treasurer; Daniel F. Varnum, Frederick J. Flemings, Hugh Maguire, Jr., Joseph H. Gormley, John E. Sullivan, Charles Riley, George W. Hartwell, members of the joint standing committee on streets; and George Bowers, city engineer.

The sitners of the complaint are E. Garfield Baker, Henry C. Dexter, Freeman A. Lewis, C. Frank Durrell, Jacob Baron, William Clifford, George A. Skinner, William Mack, Thomas E. Adams, Gilbert P. Drewett.

The hearing will be held in the Superior court at Cambridge the first Monday in January.

Clergyman Fell Dead.

During the marriage of Rev. C. E. Amaron formerly of this city and Miss Lynch of Montreal, in the latter city Wednesday, Thomas Patton, the bride's uncle fell dead.

Dinner Sets

and other Thanksgiving supplies marked away down. See our show windows before purchasing. The U. S. Tea Co., other corner of Central and Prescott street.

HOW TO DETECT GRIP.

You May Tell From the Appearance of Your Tongue if You Have It.

As the season for the grip is approaching it is interesting to know of a discovery recently made by an English physician by which any one may tell whether or not he has been attacked by the malady. The physician is Dr. John Terry, resident medical officer of the Royal Surrey County hospital.

Dr. Terry has discovered that in the early acute stage of the disease the tongue is covered, as a rule, with whitish or grayish fur. This layer may be so thin that the pink substance of the tongue shows through it. The characteristic feature, however, of the disease is the presence of dark purplish red spots or elevations scattered all over the tongue. These spots are rather larger than a pinhead. At the back of the tongue there are several large elevations, varying in size from that of a pin's head to a split pea or even larger. When the tongue is coated with white fur, the red spots produce an appearance known as the white strawberry tongue. When there is no fur, the appearance is more like a red strawberry.

At a later stage these red spots turn into pinkish, white, jollylike dots. In chronic cases when the patient has got through the worst of it the tongue still shows quite characteristic signs. It is usually of a deep red or purplish color, is fairly clear or sometimes slightly covered with a grayish or brownish fur. The purple spots are no longer to be seen, their place being taken by transparent white dots, which are rather larger than those of the earlier stages.

This order of changes in the appearance of the tongue is not always the same in every patient. The purplish spots may remain throughout, but in the majority of cases the description holds good. In every case of grip, however, one or other of the conditions of the tongue is present. Besides these changes in the tongue small white dots may be seen on the mucous membrane of the lips and cheeks. The throat is usually found to be dry and red. As the patient gets better the spots or vesicles become less and less pronounced, and finally when he is well they completely disappear.

Cuba's Fight For Freedom.

The Cubans are doing pretty well, thank you. Despite the fact that not a single nation of the earth has accorded them belligerent rights there is little doubt, taking all accounts into consideration, that they are making the Spanish mighty sick of their job.

For Stealing a Pair of Suspenders.

Henry Irons, colored, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment at hard labor at Wilmington, Del., for the larceny of a pair of suspenders. This sentence also includes an hour in the pillory and 20 lashes at the whipping post.

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DEATHS.

MCCANN—Michael McCann formerly of Lowell, died at his home in Manchester, N. H., Tuesday evening, aged 38 years.

COBURN—Miss Isabella Coburn died of heart disease Wednesday afternoon at her home on Merrimack street. She was a member of the Unitarian society, and of the N. Y. club, and was known and respected by a large circle of friends.

PADIN—Annie Padin, aged 26 years, wife of William Padin, died Wednesday evening at his home, 162 Church street.

DALTON—Bridget Dalton, child of Thomas and Mary Dalton, died last evening at their home, 328 Adams street.

For a nice spring garden now is the time to order bulbs of all kinds at McMammon's palace flower store, Prescott street. Telephone 3.

Chris. Holmes' Jackets.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley J.

Business was quite slow in court this morning.

There were only three drunks.

James McCue, charged with committing an unnatural act was held in $800 for trial next Friday.

James Doherty for larceny was sent to jail for six months. He stole a coat from the Boott corporation.

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The wise man anticipates his wants, and the Big Store Opposite City Hall insists upon being as timely in its announcements as it is truthful in its representations. Our hobby today is

$10 Heavy Woolen Frieze Ulsters,

Cut extra long, driving tabs on sleeves, Fancy Worsted and Black Clay Worsted Lining, pockets double stayed, colors Black and Oxford Grey. You can pay just $2 more for the equal in any other store.

Boys' Ulsters 8 to 15 years, $3.

From that up to $8 we can introduce you to garments of intrinsic worth that will interest you. For lads from 4 to 10 years we offer you a Cape Overcoat, Victory woolen goods, at $2.50. Of course the $5 Knockabout from A. Shuman & Co. is always in evidence in our Boys' Department.

Dollar Underwear.

You will pardon us for blowing about our Natural Wool Underwear at $1, but then you want to see our large corner Window display of these warm, serviceable garments, either double or single breasted, and understand they are direct from the mills in case lots—same as others sell at $1.25. No wonder we blow. HOSIERY.—Natural wool and Camel's Hair, another case, 15c. a pair, 2 pairs for 25c., the price of a single pair.

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OLIVER A. LISBY.
FRANK B. DOW.

HON. JOHN C. Burke can make a nice nominating speech.

SENATOR LODGE is acquitting himself of a great deal of jingoism.

QUINCY RALLIES are all the rage in Boston. Curtis is bound to go.

THANKSGIVING OF 1895 is gone and right well it was enjoyed hereabouts.

THE LOWELL and Suburban street railroad, according to its own figures, is not a profitless concern.

HON. WILLIAM F. Courtney may have some enemies in his own party but they will not vote for Miller.

THE PRESIDENT is at work on his last message to congress. It is not likely to have any reference to the subject of a third term.

COUNCILMAN GOWARD gave an exhibition of wheedling in first allowing the nomination to be tendered him and then refusing to accept it. That will never make him more popular with the A. P. A.

THE ONLY disagreeable hitch in the convention was the defeat of Mr. Custy who sought the nomination. He is a popular democrat, but the majority of the convention thought Mr. Crowley would run better at large. It was no slight upon Mr. Custy and should not be taken as such.

MR. PERRY, the citizens' candidate for mayor against the A. P. A. nominee, sneers at the idea that "such a country as this with a population of 70,000,000, a country that achieved such triumphs in her infancy should need as defenders an insignificant horde of foreigners who pose as patriots. "As well," he says "might we set up a tallow candle to illuminate the sun that shines in the heavens." Bravo! Perry; you deserve election.

MARLBORO'S CITY CHARTER.

The Marlboro city council has adopted a new city charter to be submitted to the legislature next year with a request that it be submitted to the voters for approval. It provides that the aldermen and school committee shall be elected at large, for a board of public works and that all departments shall be under civil service law. The board of public works is appointed by the mayor. The document seems to be generally favored by the citizens and is calculated to procure an administration free from partnership.

THE COURIER'S NON-PARTISANSHIP.

The Courier disavows all intention of approaching the city election with partisan motives and then starts out by stating that Mr. Miller has long been a citizen of Lowell and that "he has not been connected with transactions which have engendered the emphatic condemnation of partisan trades and manipulation."

Oh! no, Mr. Miller has been an outside party to many of the trades because the very trades referred to by the Courier were in part adopted at the secret meetings of the A. P. A., and carried out by the tools of that order in the board of aldermen, the common council and the school board.

The Courier winds up by intimtaing that the present "gang" should be cleared out, which is another way of advising the people to swallow the A. P. A. ticket. There is a great deal of non-partisanship about the Citizen, and now the staid old Courier is coming out with a non-partisan manifesto in favor of the republican A. P. A. ticket.

BURY THE HATCHET.

Now that the A. P. has nominated its idol for mayor and some of its most trusted "Friends" for aldermen, the "advisory board" has sent out an imperative edict to bury the hatchet. By that it is given out that the axe which was used in chopping off the political heads of Fred Woodles, Councilmen Morse and Goward and that was used with almost fatal effect against A. G. Swapp is to be laid aside until after election day in order to beguile the old line republicans into voting for Joseph Miller and the gang. Should Miller and the gang be elected, the council and school board being controlled by the A. P. A., as they will be, there would then be a demand for the axe. It would be freely used in making places for the "Friends" of the advisory board, the presidents and other officials of the darklantern lodges so far as the city departments could afford them sinecure berths. The A. P. A. lodges want harmony and they ask for a truce until after December 10. They will undoubtedly notify Senator Foss that they have suspended hostilities in his case and that they will not attempt to hound him ady further if he votes for Joe Miller and the gang.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all Try us.

MOJESKY EZ CAMEEL.

[By Eugene Field.]

Afore we went to Denver we had heard the Tabor Grand
Allowed by critics ez the finest opry in the land,
An roundin up at Denver in the fall of eighty-one,
Well heeled in p'int of looker an a-pinin for some fun,
We told Bill Bush that we wuz fixed quite comfitable for wealth
An hadn't struck that altitood entirely for our health.
You see, we knew Bill Bush at Central City years ago
(An a whitter man than that same Bill you could not wish to know),
Bill run the Grand for Tabor, an he gluns two a deal
Ez how we really otter see Modjesky ez Cameel.

"Three Fingered" Hoover stated that he'd great deal rather go
To call on Charley Sampson than frequent a opry show.
"The queen of tradegy," sez he, "is wot I've never seen,
An I reckon there is more for me in some other kind uv queen!"
"Git out!" sez Bill, digustedlike. "An can't you never find
A pleasure in the things of life w'ich ellervates the mind?
You'ves set around in Casey's restawraw a year or more
An heerd ole Vere de Blaw perform shef doovers by the score—
Only to come down here arsing us long an say you feel
You'd rather take in faro than a opry like 'Cameel!'"

But it seems it wurn't no opry, but a sort uv foreign play,
With a heap uv talk an dressin that wuz both dekollytay.
A young chap sparks a gal who's caught a dook that's old an wealthy—
She has a cold, an falootin fits, an is gin'rally unhealthy.
She says she has a record, but the young chap doesn't mind,
An it looks ez if the feller wuz a proper, likely kind
Until his old man sneaks around an makes a dirty break,
An the young one plays the sucker an gives the girl the shake.
"Armed Armo!" she hollers, but he flings her on the floor,
An says he ain't ergoin to have no truck with her no more.
At that "Three Fingered" Hoover says: "I'll chip into this game
An see if Red Hoss mountain cannot reconstruct the same.
I won't set by an see the feelin's uv a lady hurt—
Gol durn a critter, anyhow, that does a woman dirt!"
He riz up like a giant in that little painted pen
An stepped upon the platform with the women folks an men—
Across the trough of gas leads he bounded like a deer,
An grabbed Armo an hove him through the landscape in the rear,
An then we see him shed his hat an reverently kneel,
An put his strong arms tenderly round the gal Cameel.

A-stan'in in his stockin feet, his height wuz six foot three,
An a huskier man than Hoover wuz you could not hope to see—
He downed Lafe Dawson wrasslin, an one night I seen him lick
Three Cornish miners that come into camp from Roarin crick
To clean out Casey's restawraw an do the town, they said.
He could whip his weight in wildcats an paint whole towships red—
But good to helpless folks an weak—a brave an manly heart
A cyclone couldn't phase, but any child could rend apart.
Jest like the mountain pine which dares the storm that howls along,
But rocks the winds uv summertime an sings a soothin song.

"Cameel," sez he, "your record is agin you, I'll allow,
But, bein you're a woman, you'll git justice anyhow!
So, if you say you're sorry an intend to travel straight—
Why, never mind that other chap with which you incunt to mate!
I'll marry you myself an take you back tomorrow night
To the camp on Red Hoss mountain, where the boys'll treat you white,
Where Casey runs a tabble dote an folks are brave and true;
Where there ain't no ancient history to bother me or you.
Where there ain't no law but honesty, no evidence but facts,
Where, between the verdick an the rops, there ain't no onter acts!"

I wuz mighty proud uv Hoover, but the folks began to shout
That the feller was intrudin an would some one put him out.
"Well, no; I reckon not," says I, or words to that effect,
Ez I perdiced a argument I thought they might respect—
A long an harnsome weepon I'd pre-empted when I come
Out west—its cartridges wuz big an juicy ez a plum—
W'ich when presented properly, wuz very apt to sway
The popular opinion in a most persuasive way.
"Well, no; I reckon not!" says I, but I didn't say no more,
Observing that there wuz a gin'ral movement toward the door.

First Dr. Lemen he allowed that he had got to go
An see a patient he jest heerd wuz lyin very low,
An Charlie Toll riz up an said he guessed he'd jine the doo
An go to see a client w'ich wuz waitin round the block.
John Arkins reckollected he had interviews to write,
An previous engagements hurried Cooper from our sight.
Cal Cole went out to buy a hoss, Fred Skiff an Belford, too,
An Stapleton remembered he had heaps uv work to do.
Somehow or other every one wuz full of business then—
Leastwise they all vamoosed an didn't bother us again.

I reckollect that Willard Morse an Bush come runnin in
A-hollerin, "Oh, wot idiots you two durned fools have been!"
I reckollect that they allowed we'd made a big mistake—
They otter knowed us tenderfoots wuz sure to make a break!
An while Modjesky stated we wuz somewhat off our base
I half opined she liked it by the look upon her face.
I reckollect that Hoover regretted he done wrong
In throwin that there actor through a vista ten miles long,
I reckollect we all shuck hands an ordered win frappey,
An I never shall forget the head I had on me next day!

I haven't seen Modjesky since—I'm hopin to again.
She's goin to show in Denver soon; I'll go to see her then,
An maybe I shall speak to her, w'ich if I do 'twill be
About the old friend restin by the mighty western sea.
A simple man, perhaps, but good ez gold an true ez steel—
He could whip his weight in wildcats, an you never heard him squeal;
Good to the helpless an the weak, a brave an manly heart
A cyclone couldn't phase, but any child could rend apart—
So like the mountain pine that dares the storm w'ich sweeps along,
But rocks the winds uv summertime an sings a soothin song.

POOR DIGESTION leads to nervousness, chronic dyspepsia and great misery. The best remedy is HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA.

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MAKESHIFT EXCUSES.

Republicans Are Now Raising the Overproduction Cry.

In a recent lecture Mr. Edward Atkinson fittingly rebuked the well worn device of citing "overproduction" whenever a false system of economics is found not to work.

Jealous of the enormous boom of trade under the new tariff bill, some of the Republican partisans are beginning to predict an overproduction of cotton goods. The southern mills, which in 1880 had only 542,000 spindles, have now 2,379,000.

The American cotton mills have 1,400,000,000 backs to cover. Many of these backs are well nigh shirtless, and there are but few which are too well provided for. The number of people who are complaining of too many shirts is extremely small, to say nothing of 100,000,000 shirtless Asiatics.

The cry of overproduction is always the cry of evasion—the last shift whereby to excuse a false industrial policy. It is a virtual insult to every work willing person with a ragged coat, a dilapidated shirt and toes looking out of his boots for protection.

Under a judicious tariff policy and an ample supply of the circulating medium there is no such thing as overproduction, except, possibly, the overproduction of men credulous enough to accept this makeshift excuse for false economic policies and unreasoning greed.—Boston Globe.

The Statesman From Bitter Creek.

Senator Chandler seems less eager to twist the British lion's tail or to drive the proud Castilian from the Spanish main than he appeared to be before the elections. He still wears his hat cocked at a bellicose angle, but his leonine roar has become as gentle as the mewing of a pussy cat. He now believes that "the preparation of the Cubans for self government should be fully ascertained" before this government shall commit itself to intervention in their behalf, and that the Monroe doctrine should be asserted "so far as it applies" to the Guiana boundary dispute—a very wise and unimpeachably correct limitation. As the time for the opening of the congressional session draws near the statesman from Bitter Creek seems to be more mindful of his senatorial responsibility. —Philadelphia Record.

A Reckless Squanderer.

Mr. Quay's plans for increasing the revenues of the government have for a traveling companion a very liberal proposition for spending them as fast as they are increased.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Very Few Are Deserving.

Pingree has carried Detroit by a handsome majority. It is a pity that so many other successful candidates are much less deserving than the potato philanthropist.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Hard Luck Stories In Demand.

Possessors of hard luck stories and calamity information will learn something to their advantage by placing themselves in correspondence with William McKinley.—Washington Post.

Keep an Eye on 1896.

The pendulum of politics has been swinging to and fro in almost annual alternation ever since the great tidal wave of 1875. Now look out for 1896. —Kansas City Times.

They're Not Thinking of the Country.

If the Republicans do no better with their new slump than they have done with the old one, little good will come to the country from the recent elections. —Exchange.

Harrison Badly Damaged.

We firmly believe that Mr. Harrison has good cause of action against the man who induced him to write that letter on municipal politics.—Washington Post.

Don't Mind the Smell.

The Republicans and the A. P. A.'s have carried Omaha again. Nothing in the way of a bad smell has stopped this year's tidal wave.—St. Louis Republic.

Fear Their Prophecy Will Prove True.

Indiana Republican journals that said, "As Indianapolis goes this year so will go Indiana next year," are all "broken up."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

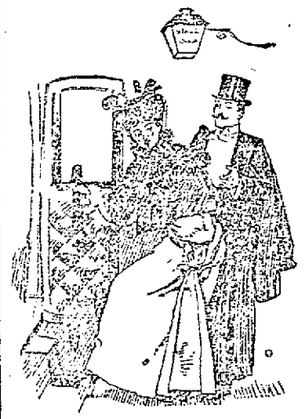
Dissolution of Co-partnership

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, carrying on business as expressmen at Lowell, under the firm name and style of Post Gardner Express company, was, on November 21st, dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business in the future will be carried on by the said Frank Dunlap alone under the same name and style.

CHARLES W. POST,
W. C. GARDNER,
FRANK DUNLAP.

SUNBEAMS.

Too Sensitive.



Chappie—But surely you don't mean that you won't speak to me again?

Tootsie—I do. You were very rude.

Chappie—But, my dear girl, I only said that I could see by your face you were an artist.—Ally Sloper.

An Editor's Nightmare.

The former editor of The Scotsman, when he retired to enjoy his well earned leisure, gave Alexander Russell this advice: "The conduct of a daily paper," he said, "is always a very serious thing, full of dangers and difficulties, but in addition to its usual anxieties you, my friend, will every night have to keep the most vigilant watch lest that man Hill Burton should contrive to insert his theory about Scotch cheeses into your columns."

It is not necessary to particularize what it was. It will suffice to say that this theory—based upon the exposure of Scotch cheeses in front of the shops and the treatment to which they were consequently exposed—was not complimentary or likely to recommend them to the purchaser.

"Day and night," said Russell, "for 15 years I have never forgot my predecessor's warning. A hundred times that theory endeavored to gain admittance into my columns and by most unlooked for channels. Sometimes it lurked concealed in an article about the Crimean war, sometimes in one of the divorce cases, sometimes in one on the division of the Free church in Scotland or even in the disruption itself, but it was always detected and struck out.

"It was a duel to the death, for I knew that Hill Burton would never relax his efforts to get his views upon Scotch cheeses into print while there was breath in his body. On the morning of the last day of the fifteenth year he ran into my office waving a paper in his hand and crying out: 'It's in! It's in!'

"'What?' cried I. 'Not in The Scotsman, surely?'

"'No,' said he, 'in "Chambers' Information For the People."'

"My relief of mind is not to be described."—Pearson's Weekly.

Did Him Injustice.

Slimpson (angrily)—See here, Jimson, I just want to know if you turned down this side street to avoid me.

Jimson—Why—er—certainly not, old boy. I—er—I didn't see you.

Slimpson (somewhat mollified)—I had an idea you thought I was one of those fellows who always borrow and never pay.

Jimson—No, no—er—of course not. Your credit is as good as any one's.

Slimpson—I beg your pardon, Jimson. I see I've done you injustice. Lend me $10, will you?—New York Weekly.

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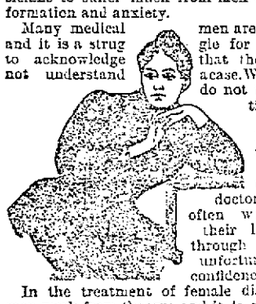
MANY WOMEN SUFFER

FROM LACK OF INFORMATION.

Doctors Are Too Reserved. A Woman Should Be Dealt With Openly.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

Women are often allowed by their physicians to suffer much from lack of information and anxiety.



Many medical men are vain, and it is a struggle for them to acknowledge that they do not understand a case. Women do not investigate; they have faith in their doctor, and often wreck their lives through this unfortunate confidence.

In the treatment of female diseases men work from theory; and it is not to be expected that they can treat as intelligently those complaints from which they have never suffered, as a woman can who has made the organism and diseases of her sex a life study.

Women afflicted with female diseases are wise in communicating promptly with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Their distressed condition is due to womb trouble, and their symptoms tell the story.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the one remedy that removes the cause, and restores health, courage, and happiness. The druggists sell more of it than all other female medicines. Why?

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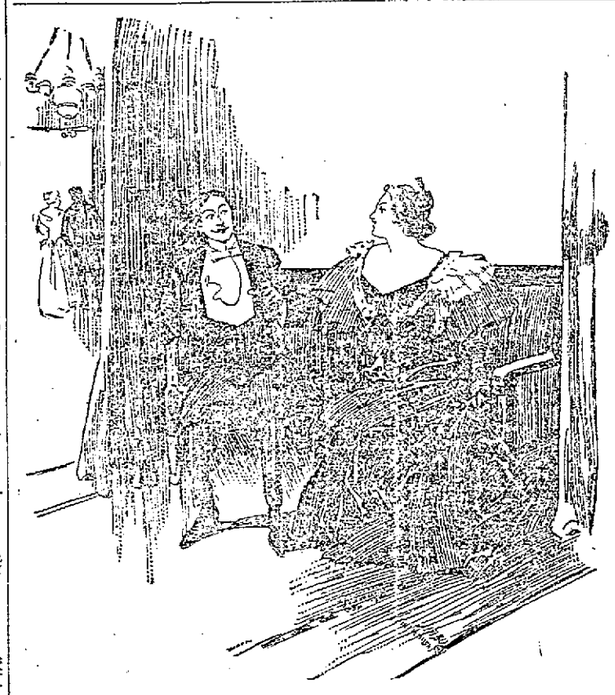

[In a quiet corner at the reception.]

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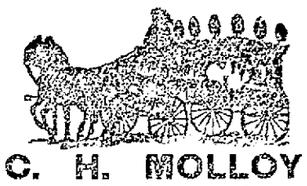
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KILLED BY BLOW

John F. Cronan of Lawrence the Victim.

HE WAS STRUCK WITH A [illegible] CUE

And Died From Concussion of the Brain.

NEWBURYPORT, Mass., Nov. 29. — An autopsy was held yesterday on the body of John F. Cronan of Lawrence, who died Wednesday night, as a result of a blow from a billiard cue. It was found that death was caused by concussion of the brain. Daniel F. Leahey will be arraigned on a charge of manslaughter. Leahey was much affected when he learned of the outcome of the dispute, but his plea will be that the blow was struck in self-defense.

Two Unknown Unfortunates.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Workmen employed upon the ruins of the old Volksgarten in the Bowery, which was destroyed by fire last Saturday night, yesterday discovered the charred bodies of two men. Nobody has been reported missing as having been employed by the museum people, who occupied the building at the time the fire broke out, and an effort is being made to solve the mystery surrounding their identity.

Fitzsimmons' Chance.

DETROIT, Nov. 29. — John J. Quinn, Peter Maher's manager, says he is ready and anxious to contest Fitzsimmons' claims to the middleweight and heavyweight championships. He says: "I will match Maher against Fitzsimmons for any amount from $5000 up, and will arrange that Maher fights Fitzsimmons at any time or place, either in private or public."

Important Legislation.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 29.—The new constitution retains the present $1 poll tax and increases the educational property tax to 3 mills. In addition, the new constitution says the profits of the liquor dispensary and the penitentiary and the proceeds from the sale of abandoned lands and estates shall be turned into the public school funds.

Iron In River's Bed.

LEBANON, N. H., Nov. 29.—A temporary wooden structure over the Connecticut river at West Lebanon collapsed yesterday and fell into the river. The Berlin Bridge company, which was constructing a new bridge at that point, lost 90 tons of iron. The water in the river was very high and washed away the temporary bridge.

Long and Rough Passages.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The steamer Illinois reached this port yesterday a week overdue. She left Antwerp Nov. 6, and from Nov. 8, up to her arrival at the Delaware capes, she has been buffeted by a succession of hard gales. The Indiana also arrived from Liverpool after a tempestuous voyage.

This Was In Canada.

TORONTO, Nov. 29.—There are many American students in the Ontario Veterinary college. They sought to honor Thanksgiving day by raising the Stars and Stripes in one of their lecture rooms. To this the Canadian students objected and rudely hauled down the flag, though they met with vigorous resistance. Then ensued a free fight, in which several on both sides were slightly injured.

Idle Long Enough.

TRENTON, Nov. 29.—The Sanitary pottery employes will return to work on Monday. They have been on strike for eight weeks, the chief differences with the bosses being over an alleged excessive hiring of apprentices.

Wedded on the Stage.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—A wedding occurred on the stage of the Westminster theater yesterday. The principals were Arthur L. Gorman and Annie Weltman, the latter a member of the Marie Roselle company.

Absence Accounted For.

STAMFORD, Conn., Nov. 29.—Jeremiah Lockwood, aged 40, colored, who has been missing since Tuesday, was found dead three miles from here yesterday. Death probably followed attacks of epilepsy.

Duryea Came In First.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The motor cycle contest was won by the Duryea machine, which is operated by gasoline. The H. Mueller machine came in second.

Back to Hoosier State.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29. — Ex-President Benjamin Harrison left this city yesterday afternoon for his home in Indianapolis.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Chili is reported to be seeking a loan of $30,000,000.

Search for gold in Connecticut will be made in the spring.

An Oregon boy confessed that he murdered three persons.

The United States senate may be Republican by one majority.

Canadian sealers decided to give up their regular spring voyage.

Secret societies in the United States are denounced by the cardinals.

Two boys were killed while walking on the track near Taunton, Mass.

Corrupt members of the Madrid municipal council are to be removed.

A diamond weighing 655 carats was found in the Orange Free State.

A bus full of young people was spilled into a river near Whately, Mass.; all were saved.

District Attorney Butler of New Orleans was committed for contempt of court.

United States Senator Perkins would raise the tariff on all cheap Japanese goods.

The Emperor of Germany is mentioned as a possible arbitrator in the Venezuelan dispute.

The theological school of the American Methodist Episcopal church in Rome was inaugurated.

Autograph collectors have ruined many state papers in the government's executive departments.

MEED OF PRAISE

For the Puritans From Rev. Dr. Parkhurst.

DEATH HEREAFTER TO ALL TRAIN WRECKERS

And Some Very Pointed Criticism of the Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—In his Thanksgiving sermon yesterday in the Madison Avenue Presbyterian church, the Rev. Dr. Parkhurst took for his subject the prevailing lawlessness and its cause. For the first time in 15 years his congregation broke into cheers during his sermon. It was when he asserted that he was proud of his Puritan ancestry, and wished that there was a ridge of Plymouth rocks from the Battery to Westchester.

The sermon contained some sensational features, one of which was an allusion to the Rome boy train-wreckers, who, he said, should be tried and convicted within a week, and hanged within a month for the good of society.

Hot Shot For Editors.

After discussing the excise law and recent political movements, Dr. Parkhurst said: "And it is one of the most startling and appalling features of the entire situation that there have been newspapers that, with brazen audacity, have aided and abetted these anarchists and conspirators, and that, seven days in the week, besides extras, have flaunted their criminal sympathy with crime, and have resorted to every conceivable villainous journalistic device to make ridiculous the officials that undertook to do what they swore they would do, and to make reputable criminals that trampled on the law and ought to have been treated to a call and not to eulogy.

"Some of those papers that for months made a steady practice of instigating crime, if they had been published in Berlin, would have been confiscated, with all the publication machinery, and their managers retired to enforce privacy and a diet of bread and water."

Indians Are Stubborn.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Included in the report of the secretary of the interior is that of the Dawes commission to the five civilized tribes. The commission, in reporting its failure to negotiate with the Indians, says that the conditions have grown worse instead of better since the last report. In its conclusion, the commission says: "It is, in the judgment of the commission, the imperative duty of congress to assume at once political control of the Indian Territory. They have come with great reluctance to this conclusion, and have sought by all methods that might reach the convictions of those holding power in the territory to induce them by negotiation and mutual agreement to consent to a satisfactory change in their system of government and appropriation of tribal property."

Colored Folks Won.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Nov. 29.—A big lawsuit brought by the colored people of Cherokee county, who were brought into the nation as slaves and afterward became free men, against the Cherokees, to establish their rights as Cherokee citizens, has been compromised. The settlement makes the colored people members of the Cherokee nation, and entitles them to about $1,800,000 of the money received for their strip, and their proper interest in the unsold lands, comprising many millions of acres.

The Gallicia's Mishap.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The work of unloading the damaged cargo of the German steamship Gallicia, which put into this port Wednesday, with fire in the main hold, continues. The entire cargo in the main hold consisted of 80,000 bushels of grain, 1100 bales of cotton and 5000 bags of cottonseed meal and other merchandise. This will all be unloaded. It is estimated that the loss on the cargo will amount to $75,000, and the damage to the vessel is about $8000.

No Apology.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—A dispatch from Caracas says: "It is officially stated that the revolutionary outbreak is of no importance. No British ultimatum has yet been received, and many of the influential Venezuelans urge an amicable settlement. The government is afraid that the tendering of an apology would be equivalent to recognizing the right of England to the disputed territory. Otherwise it is ready to give satisfaction."

Young Folks Had a Voice.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—The Catholic Total Abstinence society convention was held here yesterday. Delegates were present from Massachusetts and this state. Rt. Rev. Matthew Harkins delivered an address. The Juvenile Cadets of New Bedford, Mass., were allowed representation in the convention, the first time the body has ever been represented in the society.

Will Have New Station.

STAMFORD, Conn., Nov. 29.—The Consolidated road and the Fergusons have agreed upon a price, said to be between $80,000 and $90,000, and the former has purchased property west of the present station for a new passenger station site and increased track accommodation.

Two Barns Burned.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Two large barns belonging to the Boston and Albany railroad in the Brighton stock yards were destroyed by fire. The fire was of incendiary origin, and is the fifth that has occurred in the vicinity within the past three months.

Responsible For Eleven Deaths.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 29. — George W. Davis has been convicted on his third trial of murder in the second degree. The crime charged was the wrecking of the Rock Island passenger train on the night of Aug. 30, 1894, and the killing of 11 people.

Gold Mine at Low Figure.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The sheriff yesterday sold the property at Mooseland belonging to Dr. C. R. Jenkins of Boston, including gold mining areas and dwelling houses, engine house, plant for $1500.

Fills Mahone's Place.

PETERSBURG, Va., Nov. 29.—The Virginia Republicans yesterday chose Colonel Lamb of Norfolk as Mahone's successor as leader of the Republicans of Virginia, he being made chairman of the state committee and also Virginia's representative on the Republican national committee.

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CONCERNING OUR PATENT LAWS

THEY DO NOT BENEFIT INVENTORS BUT ENRICH MONOPOLISTS.

Henry Cohen Discusses Another Matter Upon Which the American Federation of Labor Has Taken a Stand—Edison's Declaration on the Subject.

[Special Correspondence.]

Among the special privileges which take from the laborer we find the patent monopoly. It is a very innocent appearing monopoly, but it helped the building up of a few goodly fortunes. Having full possession of the market is one of the factors that make telephone, telegraph and electrical companies so rich and so powerful, and we need not be surprised if in the next 20 years we see electric companies richer and more powerful than any of the present day corporations.

The proof of the growth of those industries which the patent laws especially fostered can be seen in any platform that calls for state control. There is a hope that the state will undo the mischief it has done. Would it not be the simpler way out of the difficulty to stop the further granting of this exclusive power?

When the government grants a man the exclusive right to make a certain machine or appliance, it precludes any later comer from making it. It matters not whether a second inventor is successful and can prove that he worked out his plan independently of the first. He came too late, and that settles it. This is clearly unjust. The world of ideas should be free just as the material world should be free. The raw material of nature should be accessible to all, and so should the objects upon which the mind would operate, which can be called the raw material of thought. The combination of ideas which results in an invention is possible at any time. It is therefore very absurd to suppose that had the idea not come to a certain individual the world would have lost it. If one had not discovered it another would, in the shortest time. Four inventors almost simultaneously brought out the telephone. One can almost say it was the time for the telephone to be born. And so it is with other inventions—the demand for them encourages men to direct their energies along certain lines.

There are two arguments usually made when one proposes the repeal of the patent laws. One is that no one will try to discover anything unless he is rewarded, and the long days and nights devoted to studying and planning will be given up. The second is that there can only be one successful inventor for each invention, yet the promise stimulates them all.

The first seems to be a plea for justice. But it is only for one inventor. If inventors are to be rewarded, why are those left out who spend the long days and nights in working, but who reach the patent office too late? And what justice is there in asking 1,000 men to give years of work for a reward that can only fall to one? There is clearly a desire on the part of society to have the nine hundred odd men working for nothing.

No pretense can therefore be made by society that it rewards inventors.

Justice forbids that a combination of ideas should be made the absolute property of an individual even for the 14 or 21 years provided by law. Why 14 or any other number? If an idea is a man's property, it belongs to him and his heirs and assigns forever. In limiting the time of absolute proprietorship our lawmakers practically admit they are doing an injustice.

The joke of the whole thing is that the inventor for whom so much concern is shown does not get the benefit. When Edison speaks, every one will admit it as expert testimony. This is what he told a reporter:

"Our patent system puts a premium on rascality. I have taken out 700 patents for my inventions, but I have never had one minute's protection. * * * I have never made one cent out of my inventions. All I have made has been out of manufacturing. * * * I believe I would be $800,000 better off if I had never taken out a patent. What I have made has been because I have understood the inventions better and have been able to manipulate the manufacturing of them better than the pirates. I could not have made anything had I not had large capital to back me, and the ordinary inventor has no protection whatever. His certificate of patent is merely a certificate to the poorhouse, and hundreds of inventors are ruined. They spend all they have in getting out their inventions, and they die poor."

Here is the confession of the most successful inventor of the day that capital, already overfed, rakes in through the patent laws the reward intended for the inventor. The American Federation of Labor placed itself on record by declaring against fundamental patents. This was done on the advice of the Electrical Workers, a union that sees in the everyday working order of things what I have tried to develop in its theoretical side in this letter.

HENRY COHEN.

Denver, Nov. 8.

Fancy Farming For Convicts.

"I'd like to have attended that prison congress," said Mayor Pingree of Detroit. "I'd have told them something about caring for prisoners. Easiest thing in the world. All they've got to do is to put these prisoners to work on a big state farm, where they can support themselves. The prisoners can raise any quantity of things that would not compete with the farmer at all. Take mushrooms or French peas, for example. Big money in them. Teach the men how to make a living farming, and then give them a few acres to work when they are released. Could have their prison farm on an island or surrounded with a big stockade. There wouldn't be any trouble about prisoners escaping."

Freeman
Photographer, Hildreth Building.

NOTED CONVICTS

Jabez Balfour And His Pals Sentenced.

THEY ROBBED WIDOWS AND ORPHANS EXTENSIVELY.

The Victims Thought to Have Lost About $35,000,000.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Sentences were pronounced in the queen's bench division of the high court of justice yesterday on Jabez S. Balfour, George Edward Brock and Merrell Theobold, convicted of fraud in connection with the Lands Allotment company and the House and Land Investment Trust companies, forming part of the Liberator group of institutions. Balfour was sentenced to 14 years' penal servitude, seven years on each count. Brock and Theobold were sentenced to nine and four months, respectively. All the other indictments against Balfour have been abandoned.

J. S. BALFOUR.

On a par with the South Sea bubble and the Kaffir craze was the financial scheme so widely ruinous to confiding investors operated by Jabez Balfour. The losers through the collapse of his companies were literally to be numbered by hundreds of thousands. These were largely the very people who could least afford to lose—widows and orphans and aged people of small means. They had been induced to invest because "Mr. Balfour was such a good man!"

His father and mother had been temperance lecturers. He was a temperance lecturer. He was a leader in church affairs. He looked with the strongest disapproval upon theaters, music halls, cards, dancing and all such worldly things. He was, moreover, a member of the house of commons, where he was one of the most enthusiastic followers of Mr. Gladstone, one of the stanchest champions of home rule and one of the sternest reprovers of the house of lords for its plutocracy and its contempt for the common people.

Strange as it may appear, he laid the foundation of his colossal scheme upon the ruins of various similar schemes that had ended in disaster.

"The Liberator," his chief concern, was built upon the ruins of the Alliance National Land, Building and Investment society, and the States bank and a number of other allied concerns known as the Alliance group.

Appealed to Religious Societies.

The basis of the organization was expressed in the Latin motto: "Libera sedes liberum facit"—a free home makes a free man. Its name was a success; hundreds of Congregationalists were attracted by its prospectus, and an appeal was made to Nonconformist ministers and others connected with temperance and religious societies all over the land to promote its beneficent objects. In 1875 another association was hatched, the "Lands Allotment company," with practically the same directorate and Jabez Spencer Balfour as the controlling genius.

From this period onward there was a regular succession of new companies. In most of these concerns there was a regularly paid dividend of 5 per cent to the shareholders and 4 per cent to depositors. The recklessness of the financing was never surpassed. Balfour discovered a progressive builder named Hobbs. Such large amounts were advanced to Hobbs that when he failed his concern was indebted to the Liberator to the extent of $10,495,000.

Apart from these transactions, "the Balfour group" were financing properties of a more or less speculative character all over the country. Though disaster followed these concerns from first to last, dividends were always found in the new subscriptions and deposits, and directors' remuneration never failed. The total amount of ruin brought upon investors through the final crash may be reckoned thus:

Liberator society, stockholders, $8,205,325, and depositors, $8,261,460; Lands Allotment company, capital subscribed, $3,831,050; House and Lands trust, stockholders, $360,725, and depositors, $7,000,725; Building Securities company, capital subscribed, $1,318,675, and Hobbs & Co., capital subscribed, $305,810.

These aggregate $30,280,770, a colossal sum. But there are various other items which, if added, would bring it up to nearly or quite $35,000,000.

Must Remain In Office.

LIMA, Nov. 29.—President Pierola has expressed his opinion that the services of the ministers have been performed in accordance with the national wish, notwithstanding the vote of censure passed by the chamber of deputies, the senate non-concurring, and has accordingly refused to accept the resignations of the cabinet.

No Chance For Foreigners.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 29.—It is reported here that no railway concessions have been granted to foreigners in China, and that the Chinese government intends henceforth to keep the railway building in its own hands.

A Complete Loss.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The Nova Scotia schooner Three Cheers, with a cargo of produce, is a total wreck on the Prince Edward Island coast.

FITS CURED
(From U. S. Journal of Medicine.)
Prof. W. H. Peeke, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing. We have heard of cases of 20 years' standing cured by him. He publishes a valuable work on this disease which he sends with a large bottle of his absolute cure, free to any sufferer who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise anyone wishing a cure to address, Prof. W. H. PEEKE, F. D., 4 Cedar St., New York.

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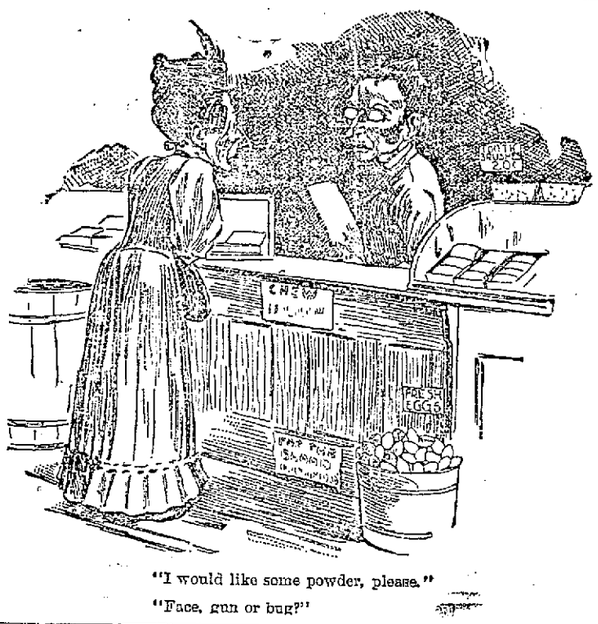

"I would like some powder, please."

"Face, gun or bug?"

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The Manufacturer's Stock of
HIGH GRADE FURS
Has arrived. The furrier will be here Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Elegant Seal Jackets and Capes. Persian Jackets and Capes. Mink and Sable Capes. Every kind of High Grade Fur, and every style of garment is represented in the stock together with our own stock, will be offered at 50c. on the dollar.
Remember that the sale begins Monday morning at 9 o'clock sharp, and continues until six o'clock Tuesday.
A Practical Furrier
Will make any necessary changes in the fitting of garments; also furnish estimates for the alteration of old garments, and take measurements for new ones, if ordered.
This season we have made to order several high-grade Fur Jackets and Capes for Ladies in Lowell, and we can cheerfully refer to any one or all of those for recommendations as to fit and general satisfaction of the garments.
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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Coal
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The Olympic Bowling Alleys are the finest in the city. No one need go hungry up there, as the Butchers and Grocers have entered the tournament which begins next week. Get into the game, and remember these alleys are under the supervision of Tommy Golden. They are open Day and Night at No. 110 MIDDLESEX STREET.

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Choice, Teas, Coffees and Spices. Try our "BIG TWELVE," brand of flour, the best in the city.

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NOTICE—The parties that took off the black and white pup from 358 Wentworth ave., Oaklands, Sunday evening, return same at once and save trouble.

FOUND—A set of tools belonging to a bicycle. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Apply at 968 Central street.

SALESMEN—to take orders and collect. $50 bond, signed by a business firm, required. Exclusive territory, $25 to $75 weekly. For particulars, address P. O. Box 1364, New York City.

WANTED—Misses Keefe and Stevens, dressmakers, at room 7, Associate building, wish to have the ladies of this city know that they can have their dressmaking done in the latest and most fashionable style at the lowest prices of any dressmaking establishment in the city. For first-class work any order we receive we guarantee entire satisfaction. Open day and evening. Remember the place, room 7, Associate building, Merrimack street.

LADY or man to hand friends or neighbors my samples. Send Albert Wood, Perfumer, 716 Woodward, Detroit, Mich., ten cents for five trial bottles Satin-Scent Perfumes, receive outfit offer.

FOR SALE—In Centralville, near Bridge street, 8 minutes' walk from P. O. square, good cottage house in first class repair and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block. Price $1000.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE—in Ward 4, near Wilder and Middlesex streets, nice two story house of 8 rooms, slated roof, bath, hot and cold water, 4500 ft. of land. Price 2500. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

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ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $18 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelope Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

FOR SALE—Near Andrew street, two tenement house, large lot of land; this is your chance; on easy terms. Price $1600. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, consisting of one mantle bed, square piano, reason for selling, want of room, 780 Gorham street.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Low's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

FOR SALE—Near Wilder street, a good cottage house and land, good repair, on easy terms. Price $1200. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

TENEMENTS TO LET.

TO LET—Good, pleasant, convenient tenements of 2, 3, 4, 5 rooms, at 79 Chestnut street.

FOR SALE—In Pawtuckeville, two tenement house, large lot of land, on corner of streets. Price $2300. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

FOR SALE—Cottage house, 10 minutes walk from City Hall, 7 rooms and bath a large lot of land, price $1450, $100 down, balance as rent. Charles W. Pickham, 45 Merrimack street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—A beautiful farm of 250 acres, good buildings, grafted orchards, over $2000 worth of wood and timber to pay for farm, cut over 30 tons of No. 1 hay last year, 4 1-2 miles from depot, 2 1-2 miles to Creamery, land slopes to south. Beautiful view if sold this month, will throw in crops, will take $1400, $400 down balance to suit. Apply to Charles W. Pinkham, 45 Merrimack street, old P. O. Block, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Small farm in Pawtuckeville of five acres, new cottage house; this is a bargain. Price $1800. G. L. Hubbard, room 4 O. P. block.

Real Estate House
OF
Wm. H. EMERY,
Room 29A Hildreth Building (old Post Office)
House lots 6000 feet from City Hall, at the head of the new Moody street bridge. $280 and up.
These lots are 40 to 50 feet wide and 80 to 97 feet deep and contain about 4000 square feet of land.
Terms are very easy. Payments by the month or year. Call for plans.
On Queen street, cottage of 7 rooms, steam heat, 4000 feet of land; $2300.
In Pawtuckeville, new cottage, 7 rooms, bath, cemented cellar; $1450, on easy terms, $100 down, balance same as rent.
Houses and house lots in all parts of the city on easy terms.
A. J. RYAN, Agent

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5c. Per Qt.
New Dried Red Raspberries, New Dates, Nuts, all kinds. Grapes, Candy, etc. Everything for a Thanksgiving dinner.
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Wholesale and Retail Merchants,
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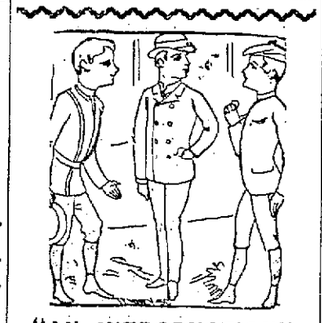

"AN INTRODUCTION"

Of our store is not necessary to the people of Lowell. Everybody here knows that we have the most complete stock of drugs and medicines to be found in town. We merely wish to freshen your memory of the fact and remind you that
ELLINGWOOD'S GOUGH BALSAM
Outsells all others. Try it.
Ellingwood & Co.
APOTHECARIES,
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UNION TAILORS
The only shop in town using the Union Label.
Call and see our line of SUITINGS and OVERCOATINGS at Rock Bottom Prices.
F. S. SHARROW,
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NEW MUSIC HALL
W. H. Boody, Manager.
Friday, Saturday, Saturday Matinee
"THE LIGHT ON THE POINT"
Evening Prices, 50, 35, 25, 20, 15, 10c.
Three Nights, Beginning Monday, Dec. 2.
The Original
Watson Sisters'
Company of Sterling Comedians, headed by Great Electrical Sensation,
Triangul Giratorio,
The most marvelous aerial creation ever presented to the public. After the Lilliputians come the Giants.
Evening Prices, 50, 35, 25, 20, 15, 10c.
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Borjes Military Band
E. J. BORJES, Director.
Concert and Ball
Huntington Hall, Monday, Dec. 9.
Overture, Rienzi.....Wagner
a. The Mill in the Forest.....Ellenberg
b. Sextette from "Lucia".....Donizetti
Trombone Quartette, from "Tannhauser" Wagner
Messrs. Aitken, Sturtevant, Kinghorn, Lewis.
A Hunting Scene.....Bucolied
Descriptive Fantasia, "Twenty Minutes on the Midway".....Dalbey

GET READY FOR
THANKSGIVING
We have the largest assortment of goods for Thanksgiving that have ever been seen in Lowell. In this is included
Deep Pie Plates, Blue Edge Pie Plates, Yellow and White Nappies, Lip and White Bowls, Pudding Pots, White Dinner Plates.
And various other dishes for table use. You will want some of these for Thanksgiving. Our prices you will find are out in two for the next few days.
French & Puffer
245 Central Street.

Boston and Maine Railroad.

Winter Arrangement.

WESTERN DIVISION

Corrected to October 20, 1895.

TRAINS LEAVE MIDDLESEX STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, at 5.50, 8.15, 9.23, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.20, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 5.50, 9.23, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 5.50, 9.23 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 5.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 5.50 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Sacco and Portland, 5.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 5.50 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 5.50 a. m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (N. B. steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p.m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones of Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Oct. 20, 1895, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:—

For Boston—5.45, 6.30, †8.50, *7.45, *8.00, ‡9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, ‡3.00, 4.30, *5.35 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston:—*4.45, 6.34, †8.53, §7.01, §7.13, §*7.27, *7.43, *8.57, 9.03, *9.50 11.03, 11.45 a.m.; 12.16, 1.43, ‡3.03, *4.03, 4.38, 5.23, ‡5.36, 6.24, 7.02 p.m. SUNDAYS, §*7.18, §*7.27, ‡8.45, *9.16 a. m; §4.25, §5.58 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.30, §7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, §5.58 p.m.

*Express. †Northern Depot only. ‡Via Bedford.

For Lawrence—6.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.26, 5.50 p. m.

☞ Time given below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 1.00, 3.45, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.45 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.14 9.45 a.m; 12.11, 1.00, 1.42, 3.44, 5.42, 6.20, 8.12, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.26 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3 a.m., 2.00, 5.02, 8.12, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.14, 9.45 a. m; 12.11, (1.42 to Franklin and Bristol only), 5.42, †8.12 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40 a. m; 1.42 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m; 1.42, †8.43 p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.12 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.

Quebec Express via White River Junction—12.11, 8.12, p. m., daily except Sunday.

☞ †Daily for Montreal.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent.
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POZZONI'S
POWDER
advertised for many years, but have you ever tried it?—If not,—you do not know what an IDEAL COMPLEXION POWDER IS.
POZZONI'S
besides being an acknowledged beautifier, has many refreshing uses. It prevents chafing, sun-burn, windtan, lessens perspiration, etc.; in fact it is a most delicate and desirable protection to the face during hot weather.
It is sold everywhere.

SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR FRIDAY, NOV. 29.

SUN RISES	6 52	MOON SETS	4 09 AM
SUN SETS	4 14	FULL SEA	5 07 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	9 22		5 15 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair, with warmer southerly winds; probably colder tomorrow.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Reading line of electrics was not opened yesterday.

The Sons of Veterans held a sociable at their hall, Wednesday evening.

The churches of Chelmsford Centre held a union Thanksgiving service yesterday.

A number of Lowell people attended the dance at the Billerica town hall last evening.

Miss Lillian Breault entertained her friends, last evening, on the occasion of her birthday.

The local gun club was to have a shoot at the range yesterday but it didn't come off and none of the gunners were present.

A unique musical entertainment was held in the First Presbyterian church, last evening, which was largely attended and highly enjoyed.

Ekrone lodge, I. O. G. T., admitted five new members last evening. Arrangements were made for the observance of the quarter centennial of the lodge.

Do you want a pretty ink stand for your table or desk? Lawler, the book seller, offers a regular 50 cents automatic ink stand for 25 cents, on Friday only. 70 Merrimack and 15 John street.

Struck by a Train.

A man named Haggerty was struck by a train shortly before 8 o'clock last evening near the Northern station. His bruises, which were not serious, were cared for at St. John's hospital.

Paving-Blocks Came Too Late.

Supt. Crowley has been notified that 15 cars loaded with paving blocks are ready to be unloaded on the Boston and Maine tracks. The superintendent declines to receive them. He says that they should have been delivered last month, and that they were delayed so long that it is too late to use them this year.

KIND SCHOOL CHILDREN

Found Some Tender Offerings for the Poor.

The children of the Plain street school gave their annual Thanksgiving offering for the poor Wednesday evening.

The offerings included vegetables, tea, coffee, sugar, cakes, fruit, bread and pies.

The articles were distributed among the needy families in the neighborhood of the school and the Faith Home, Open Door mission and the Ministry at Large.

DAN CONGRATULATES JOE

And Says He Will Support Him in the Fight.

The republican or A. P. A. candidates for municipal offices held a meeting Wednesday evening and decided to carry on a vigorous campaign from now till election day.

Alderman Varnum has written a congratulatory letter to "Joe" Miller and pledging his hearty support to the candidate on election day.

Only One Candidate.

The only candidate for the school board in Ward eight is Mr. Everett, republican. James Howard, nominated by the democrats, has declined to run.

CONTRACTOR WARD

Gets More Time in Which to Finish Work On Moody Street Bridge.

The street committee at a meeting Wednesday afternoon decided to allow Contractor Ward four weeks in which to complete the work on the Moody street bridge abutments.

Thomas H. Elliott appeared before the committee and asked that something be done to prevent the cottage house owned by him on the First street extension from falling into the road.

Action on this matter was postponed till next Monday.

The committee went up to the Pawtucket crossing and Daniel Gage met the members. He wanted them to have work on the changing of the gradecrossing discontinued for one year so as not to interfere with his business. The members advised him that the only course he could pursue would be to petition the courts and have the work stopped.

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin of Arkwright Street Congratulated by Many Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffin, residing at 29 Arkwright street, observed their golden wedding at their home yesterday.

They held a reception from four o'clock till nine in the evening, and McElroy's orchestra furnished music. A very large number of their friends called to congratulate them and many brought valuable presents.

The old couple were overjoyed to meet so many esteemed friends, many of whom were from out of town. Mr. Griffin is 80 years of age and Mrs. Griffin 77.

He formerly worked in the Massachusetts repair shop, but for years past has conducted the well known boarding house where he now resides. They have one son, Charles Griffin.

SINGING AND DANCING

Furnished Entertainment for the Thistle Club.

It was a pleasant party the Ladies' Thistle club held in Caledonian hall Wednesday evening, and the ladies of the club spared no pains to have everyone enjoy themselves. In the early part of the evening a concert was enjoyed. Those taking part were Miss Maggie Dobson, Miss Jessie Walker, Messrs. John Ray, John Mutter, John Backock. Addresses were made by Mrs. J. S. McKay of the Thistle club, and by Chief George Gordon of the Caledonians. The most enjoyable feature was the sale of the boxes and Mr. Samuel Taylor, as auctioneer, was successful in bringing good prices. Refreshments were then served and the contents of the boxes partaken of, after which general dancing was indulged. Prof. J. E Buckley accompanied the singers and Pease's orchestra provided music for the dancing. A housewarming will be held next Wednesday in the new quarters, the old G. A. R. hall, over French & Puffer's on Central street.

112 Pieces $5.49.

English dinner sets, 112 pieces, at $5.49 while they last. This is a rare bargain. See samples in our show window. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

Bowling, Billiards, Pool.

Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 31 MERK ST.

MORE TESTIMONY

Against the Turks in Armenian Outrages.

DIABOLICAL DEEDS AT SASSOUN AND ELSEWHERE.

Related by Missionary Witnesses of the Massacres.

BUFFALO, Nov. 29.—Misses Charlotte E. Ely and Mary A. C. Ely have just returned home after a long period of missionary labor in eastern Turkey, under the direction of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. Their absence has covered a space of 27 years, and as soon as affairs in the disturbed districts have quieted down, they will return to Turkey.

Speaking of the Sassoun massacres, a large part of which occurred at Moosh, Miss Mary Ely said: "The massacre was undoubtedly planned by the porte. The immediate provocation came about as follows: The Kurds were in the habit of raiding the flocks of the Armenians. The Armenians, impoverished by repeated acts of robbery, banded together for the purpose of recovering their flocks from the Kurds. When the two parties met, of course there was fighting. Two Moslems were killed and several Christians. Then the Kurds mutilated the bodies of their slain countrymen. After that the corpses were carried to the headquarters of the provincial government at Bitlis and shown to Vali Tahsin. 'See what the Christians are doing to us!' they exclaimed to the vali."

It was, Miss Ely declared, the Turkish regular soldiery who did the most of the killing during the massacres, while the Kurds stole the property. Returning to her narrative, Miss Ely said that after the first collision a series of retaliatory conflicts took place. That was a year ago last August. Soon afterward, Tahsin Pasha went in person to Guligosun, a village in the Sassoun province, and in person ordered the massacre of the Armenian Christians. He wore, suspended by a cord around his neck, an imperial edict from the porte commanding him to "chastise" the Christians. This was read to the Turkish soldiers, who had been massed at that place from all that part of Asia Minor.

"Before the reading was completed," continued Miss Ely, "as if unable to delay the diabolical deeds, Tahsin Pasha gave the order to 'smite' the Christians. Then followed a scene almost too awful to describe."

The returned missionaries says that it was hard to pick specific instances out of such an inferno of cruelty, but mentioned the following:

"The soldiers would toss children up into the air and catch them on their bayonets when they came down. At other times, they would stand a number of children in a row, each Turk would take a child by the hair, and then they would see which one could cut off his victim's head the quickest. When Tahsin Pasha started out on his mission of butchery he took along with him a large quantity of kerosene oil for the purpose of the removing by fire all vestiges of the disgraceful work which he contemplated. This oil was afterward used to saturate the clothing of living beings, and then a match would be applied."

At this point Miss Charlotte Ely remarked: "I saw one boy with the whole side of his face burned away. He told me that he had been attacked by the Turks and then thrown on a heap of coals, being left for dead."

Miss Ely was asked about the treatment of Armenian women by the soldiers. "The violation of women and girls by the Turks was one of the commonest and one of the worst features of the whole horrible affair. In one instance scores of them were shut up in a church and kept there all night by the soldiers. In the morning they were all murdered. One witness told me he saw the blood flow over the threshold of the building."

COLD-BLOODED DEEDS.

Christians Slaughtered Without Mercy and Dwellings Burned.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs to his paper that the embassies there have learned that in the massacre at Marash on Nov. 18, 1000 persons were killed. The Christian quarters of the town were burned from three points.

A letter received here describing the previous massacre says that before it commenced the town crier ordered the Christians' shops to be opened under a penalty for refusal. It was then the pillage and the murder began. The writer of this letter, who had been a pilo-Turk, adds that there was no sign of either a rising or resistance on the part of the Christians.

The Daily News' correspondent in Constantinople also says that the embassies hear from their consuls that all possibility of rendering assistance to the Sassounites who were the victims of the outrages at that point has been ended, and that the Kurds are whipping them out of existence, and have destroyed all the buildings which have been erected by the expenditure of the English relief fund. A similar story comes from the Van country, where the disturbances continue as badly as ever.

A Vienna dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says that the proposed naval demonstration by the powers against Turkey is now regarded as futile as a restraining influence. The latest news received from the interior of Turkey has a depressing influence on the diplomatic circle. Reports have been received that renewed attempts to massacre the surviving Armenians at Erzroom have resulted in night being killed. Some of the priests, in sheer despair, are advising their flock to save their lives by embracing Islam.

ITALY'S ATTITUDE.

Discussion of Past Events Cuts No Figure at Present.

ROME, Nov. 29.—Important statements were made in the chamber of deputies last night by Premier Crispi and by Baron Blanc, Italian minister of foreign affairs, concerning questions of Italy's internal and foreign policy, and especially her attitude toward Turkey, and incidentally her attitude to other powers.

Regarding Turkey, the premier said that the powers are in accord, and he was confident that the peace would not be disturbed. If it were disturbed, however, Italy would not repeat her old mistakes, and would see her rights safeguarded.

Baron Blanc, the minister of foreign affairs, followed the premier with a long explanation of the Italian position on the Turkish question. He denied that Italy had attempted any isolated action on this question, and asserted that her endeavors throughout had been devoted to converting concerted action by these powers into concerted action by six powers.

While the European situation was good, the minister went on to say, the condition of affairs in the Turkish provinces remained troubled. The porte had addressed to the powers remarks—if, indeed, they might not be called reproaches—hoping thereby to delay matters at the risk of again aggravating the situation.

"The porte will commit an error," Baron Blanc concluded saying, "if it thinks the present situation can be solved by diplomatic discussions of past events, when we are face to face with the atrocious deeds that have provoked universal horror, and with the peril of latent anarchy, to an outbreak of which at any moment Europe cannot leave herself exposed."

Each foreign squadron in Turkish waters was a door open to civilization and beneficent influences to those obscure regions where mixed races were still deprived of the guarantees promised by Turkey to Europe.

The porte would make a mistake in exercising, even in regard to the additional guardships asked by the powers, the privilege accorded to it by treaties to restrict naval protection in the pacific interests of the powers.

Sultan's Reign Should End.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 29.—Nearly 500 Armenians held impressive services here yesterday out of sorrow for the murdered in their fatherland. A requiem mass was followed by a street parade and speaking in Association hall. Resolutions denouncing all faith in the sultan, and appealing for autonomy under European power and relief for the suffering, were adopted to be sent to the civilized powers of the world. Resolutions thanking the press of the country were adopted.

An Urgent Request.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Rev. Judson Smith, D.D., secretary of the foreign department of the American board of missions, last evening received a cablegram from one of the representatives of the board in Constantinople. It reads: "Induce Red Cross society to enter relief work as in war time. Urgency extreme for action by organization under international protection. Four hundred thousand people destitute. Ordinary channels of relief closed."

Off For Turkey.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The cruiser Minneapolis passed out through the Chesapeake capes at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning, bound for Turkey. She probably will make the trip in about 15 days, touching, perhaps, at Gibraltar for mail.

Dumas Dead.

PARIS, Nov. 27.—Alexandre Dumas died Wednesday evening. He was born in Paris, July 28, 1824, and was the illegitimate son of the famous author of "Monte Cristo," by a girl of obscure origin, and the grandson of General Dumas, who was himself the son of the Marquis de Pailleterie and a full-blooded negress of the island of San Domingo. Dumas, the younger, came naturally by his literary genius, since his father was the creator of at least 100 novels. For 20 years Dumas was one of the "40 immortals," as the members of the French Academy are called.

Caucus of House Republicans.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Eleven of the 23 Republican representatives from the south (excluding Missouri) in the house met last night to determine upon their action respecting their choice of officers for that body. The state already made up leaves the south without any representation in the elective officers of the house. After considerable discussion, it was resolved to stand by General Henderson of Illinois for the position of clerk, and the surmise is that W. S. Tipton of Tennessee will be supported for the position of sergeant-at-arms.

Was Under Indictment.

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., Nov. 29.—Charles S. Witham, who was under indictment and $6000 bail for killing Dr. Farnsworth at Malden, Mass., died at his father's house in Southport of consumption. He was 35 years old. Last spring Witham met Dr. Farnsworth and fired three shots at him, two of which took effect, and he died from his injuries a few days afterward. At the time it was alleged that Dr. Farnsworth was too intimate with Witham's wife, and was trying to break up Witham's home.

A Hundred Thousand Visitors.

ATLANTA, Nov. 29.—Yesterday was set apart at the exposition as Atlanta and South Carolina day combined, and the prediction that it would be the greatest day in point of attendance in the history of the show was verified. Over 100,000 visitors were in the city, more strangers than were ever in Atlanta before, and the capacity of the turnstiles at the exposition entrances were taxed to the utmost.

Snap For Smugglers.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 29.—The jail is now almost free of smugglers. Two brothers named Powers alone remain in custody, they refusing to withdraw a suit recently entered against the keeper of the penitentiary for a breach of the habeas corpus act. Those released paid half their fines, all of them being supporters of the government. The public condemns this proceeding.

Call For a Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A caucus of the Republican senators will be held after the adjournment of the senate on Monday next. A sufficient number of names have been signed to a call to insure a caucus, which will consider the party policy for the coming session.

Steamer Disabled.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The tank steamer Henri, in ballast, from Antwerp for Philadelphia, sustained considerable damage by having grounded on one of the bars off Sable island. She will have to go into drydock.

Life Had Lost Its Charms.

HANOVER, N. H., Nov. 29.—Joseph Murdock, a life-long resident of Norwich, Vt., was found hanging from a tree near his house yesterday. He was despondent.

In Express Train's Way.

UXBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29.—John C. Leary, 30 years old, of Millville, was struck by an express train yesterday and instantly killed.

Seamen Eyed With Suspicion.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Captain Wiberg of the Danish steamer Horsa and his first and second mates were arrested yesterday charged with violation of the neutrality laws. The affidavits was made by Dr. Jose Congosta, the Spanish consul, and specifically avers that on Nov. 9 last the defendants set on foot a military expedition to Cuba. The prisoners were held in $1500 bail each for a hearing. Warrants were also issued for the arrest of Captain Svanoe and his two mates of the steamer Leon, on a similar charge.

A Three-Round Battle.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 29.—Jack Ward of Newark knocked "Tug" Sayer of Boston out in three rounds before the Eureka Athletic club last night.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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The men on the street department were paid Wednesday.

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Morning Star Temple, I. O. G. T. held an interesting meeting, Wednesday evening.

Putnam & Son presented each of their married employes a Thanksgiving turkey.

The Appleton company is having removed from the Parker block the goods damaged by the recent fire.

Michael Norton fell down a flight of stairs at 186 Church street, yesterday morning, and received several severe cuts. He was taken to St. John's hospital.

The British American association held a concert and dance in Manchester Unity hall, Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance and everybody had a good time.

Fell Down Stairs.

Miss Ethel Paradis of First street, while descending from the gallery of the First Congregational church yesterday morning, fell down a portion of the stairs and received a severe shaking up.

The Banquet Was Postponed.

Dick Bray was to have entertainted the employes of the lands and buildings department at the Richardson house, Wednesday evening, but owing to the fact that one member was being married and another had died that day, the affair was postponed.

Hurt in the Hosiery.

A boy about 15 years old, named Waterman, fell down a flight of stairs in the Lawrence hosiery Wednesday afternoon, breaking his nose and sustaining minor hurts. He was taken to the Lowell General hospital.

The Reform Club Entertains Friends.

The Reform club gave a complimentary dance at their hall Wednesday evening and 300 people were present.

John F. Harrigan was general manager, and Thomas A. Nugent was floor director, John M. Hogan was chief of the aids, and Hugh Williams chairman of the reception committee.

A Question For the Commissioners.

The question is being asked by a number of people "Did not the police commissioners make a mistake in their punishment of Officers Grady and Breault?" One of those who ask the question claims that under similar circumstances, police officers in some other city won out in a suit to recover the amount of the fine.

WILLIAM TO JOSEPH.

Mayor Courtney Shakes Mr. Miller's Hand.

Mayor Courtney met his opponent, Joe Miller, in a barber shop Wednesday afternoon.

The mayor never knew who Joseph was till somebody whispered in his ear, "there's Mr. Miller."

Then, when the barber had finished with him, the mayor walked over, introduced himself and shook hands with Mr. Miller. They exchanged a few pleasant words and parted—friends.

PERSONAL.

Miss Robb of Philadelphia is visiting Mrs. Victor I. Cumnock.

The engagement of Miss Bertha Barker to Mr. Fred N. Wier is announced.

Mrs. George Jewett of Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting Mrs. A. S. Adams of Highland street.

Walter Knowles of the Highland military academy, Worcester is spending a few days at his home in this city. Mr. Dickson of the same institution is his guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace C. Lambert, who left the city for a new home in Somerville after their marriage, had a very successful reception yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Lambert, 283 Pawtucket street.

The wedding of Miss Mary G. Sawyer and Mr. Charles L. Knapp is announced to take place at the residence of Mr. Hamilton J. Sawyer the father of Miss Sawyer, in Butterfield street, on the afternoon of December 10th.

BOWLING NEWS.

The Vespers were beaten Wednesday night. The Salem club put up a great score on its own alleys, and defeated the champions by 350 pins. It was a game of high scores for the Salems as the following totals will show:

Salems—Broadway 548, Hay 565, Hull 545, Carter 525, Brophy 628; total 2811.

Vespers—Swift 484, Grover 599, Perley 417, Dahlberg 501, Bean 460; total 2461.

Middlesex Team Wins Again.

The Middlesex team of the Merrimack Valley league has a knack of getting a lead in a game that is difficult to overcome. Wednesday night the team was pitted against the Lawrences on Les Miserables alleys and put up a good score. The totals:

Middlesex—Morse 493, Gregory 569, Halstead 474, Clogston 523, Rogers 476; total 2536.

Lawrence—Eastman 470, Lanigan 435, Hanley 478, Robinson 528, Bruce 604; total 2500.

Highland Club Tournament.

At the Highland club Wednesday night Team Two defeated Team Three after this fashion:

Team 2—Sturtevant 456, Hartwell 552, Pratt 441, Coburn 425, Barclay 407; total 2281.

Team 3—Sherburne 506, Wilson 450, Ranlett 477, Carter 406, Kilgore 332, total 2221.

The Policeman at It.

A team from the 6.10 shift bowled a team of coppers from the 12.30 shift, Wednesday, and the latter won by the following score:

12.30 shift—Brosnan 467, Breault 469, Welch 374, Lleghton 410, Hurley 496 total 2216.

6 10 shift—Maher 400, Swan 438 Burnett 493, Ryan 446, Donaldson 446; total 2133.

The Butcher's Tournament.

Jewett & Swift's team took a game from the Old Guards on the Olympic alleys last evening. The score:

Jewett & Swift—Sheehy 487, Saunders 467, Broadbent 481, Chichen 549, Clark 462; total 2446.

Old Guards—Gray 456, McKellop 388, McSorley 487, Ryan 435, Saunders 470; total 2236.

Highland Club Bowlers.

Team ten won from Team seven in the tournament game last night by the following totals:

Team 10—Dearborn 520, Kittredge 494, G. F. Stiles 434, Church 480, Alley 420; total 2348.

Team 7—Anderson 499, Snyder 439, Jones 399, Gaylor 465, A. B. Leighton 420; total 2222.

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A Professional Nurse Afflicted With Bright's Disease of the Kidneys Finds a Cure.

(From the Buffalo News.)

Mrs. A. E. Taylor has resided in Buffalo for over 40 years, her address is 250 Herkimer avenue, as a professional nurse, she has nursed back to health many a sufferer. Disease in all its varied form, have become as familiar to her as to the regular practitioner. Her occupation is one that taxes the strongest constitution, but the fatigue of long watching and nursing at last brought her to a bed of sickness. Mrs. Taylor speaks of her complaint and cure as follows: "After being confined to my bed for some time my disease assumed such a serious aspect that a doctor was called in. He pronounced my ailment Bright's disease of kidneys in the third degree and a very bad case. My limbs swelled up so that I could not walk across the floor, or, indeed, help myself in any way. My face bloated up and my eyes swelled so that the sight was badly impaired. This condition continued for nearly two months without any marked improvement from the doctor's treatment. I have taken quarts of buchu and juniper. I tried battery treatment, but all without any lasting benefit, until I felt like finally giving up in despair. Hearing of Doan's Kidney pills I gave them a trial, and after taking three boxes I was able to get up without assistance and walk, something I had not done in months. I continued steadily to improve with their use. The swelling in my leg left, the color returned to my face, changing from a chalky color to a healthy bloom. I now consider myself entirely cured and I shall never rest praising the little pill that saved me.

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MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. Charles D. Foley of the lands and buildings department and Miss Sabina F. Dowd, sister of ex-City Clerk Dowd, were united in marriage at St. Patrick's parochial residence, Wednesday evening, by Rev. D. J. Gleason.

Michael J. Burns was best man and Miss Celia Dowd was bridesmaid.

The bride's dress was of white lansdown with chiffon and pearl trimmings. The bridesmaid wore a gown with velvet figures and chiffon trimmings.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride in Dane Street avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Foley have gone on a wedding tour and on their return will reside at 37 Newhall street.

De Wert-Cullen.

Mr. Walter De Wert and Miss Maggie V. Cullen were united in marriage at the parochial residence of the church of the Immaculate Conception Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Fr. Joyce.

The bride, gowned in blue silk, trimmed with chiffon lace and carrying white roses was attended by Miss Lizzie Kenney as bridesmaid. William Stamfig was best man.

The happy couple are enjoying their honeymoon in New York.

Flaherty-Hines.

At the Immaculate Conception church, Wednesday, Mr. Patrick Flaherty of Manchester was united in marriage to Miss Katie Hines of this city. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. The bride's gown was of fawn colored silk. From 10 to 12, the reception was held at the home of the bride's cousin at Concord and Sherman streets. Mr. and Mrs. Flaherty will be at home after Dec. 10, at 304 Main street, Manchester.

Paasche-Figved.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Paasche in Chelmsford, Wednesday forenoon, at 11 o'clock in the presence of family friends only, Mr. P. Justin Paasche and Miss Marie J. Figved, both of Boston, were united in marriage by Rev. Wilson Waters, rector of All Saints' church. The bridegroom is a brother of Mrs. Alfred Paasche, and holds a responsible position in the office of the Cunard steamship company.

Fox-Woodworth.

At 298 East Merrimack street, Nov. 27, Miss Myrtle A. Woodworth was united in wedlock to Mr. Samuel Fox, in the presence of a few relatives and friends. Rev. Dr. Court performed the ceremony. Miss Annie Fox was bridesmaid and Mr. Geo. Fox was best man. The happy pair left Lowell by the 6.24 p. m. train for a short bridal tour.

Hancock-Hunt.

At 13 Watson avenue, November 27, Mr. James W. Hancock and Miss Louisa M. Hunt were united in marriage by the Rev. Robert Court, D. D., in the presence of relatives and friends. Miss Bertha M. Hancock was bridesmaid and Mr. Isaac R. Cox was best man. The gifts were numerous and valuable.

Farrell-Knox.

At the Presbyterian parsonage, Appleton street, November 27, Mr. Albert E. Farrell and Miss Nellie E. Knox were married by Rev. Dr. Robert Court.

Saunders-Titcomb.

A pretty Thanksgiving wedding occurred yesterday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Saunders at 119 Middlesex street. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank W. Saunders and Miss Florence Sadie Titcomb. Rev. W. W. Harris performed the ceremony and was assisted by Rev. Mr. Stratton.

The bride wore a gown of old rose radamar silk, with iridiscent trimmings, and white slippers. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses.

The bridesmaid was dressed in a gown of steel blue silk, trimmed with jet garniture with white corsage and slippers. Her bouquet was of pink roses.

A reception was held after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders have gone on a wedding tour and on their return will reside at 119 Middlesex street.

Sullivan-Flanagan.

The marriage of Mr. David Sullivan, of the well known firm of Barney & Co. and Miss Mary A Flanagan, the popular young reader, was solemnized at St. Peter's parsonage, Thanksgiving eve, Rev. Fr. McManus performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Conners and William F. Sullivan was the best man. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride on Westford street where a reception was held, at which many friends of the young couple tendered their congratulations. During the evening an elaborate wedding supper was served, after which a delightful social time led up to the departure of the happy couple on their honeymoon, which will include a tour of New York and Washington. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan will reside at 217 Appleton street. The wedding gifts were magnificent and in abundance. Seldom has it been the good fortune of a young couple in private life to receive such a great variety of presents, which included about everything necessary to begin housekeeping. They are a popular young couple and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

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CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The football game between Boston and Chicago athletic clubs resulted in a tie after the hardest battle ever fought in the west. Score, 4 to 4.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The Boston university and Boston college football game yesterday was one of the fiercest slugging matches ever seen in this city, and a number of players on both sides were maimed and bruised. Brewin, fullback of Boston college, was carried unconscious from the field, suffering from a broken rib and probable internal injuries. Brock, a university substitute, was also badly injured, and is in a critical condition. Two others were badly hurt. Boston university won —22 to 0.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The University of Pennsylvania football eleven yesterday defeated the Cornell team by the score of 48 to 2, thus winding up the football season with a clean record of victories to her credit.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 29.—The victory of Brown over Dartmouth by a score of 10 to 4 yesterday places Brown in the third place in the football series of New England colleges.

RICHMOND, Nov. 29.—The University of Virginia won the championship of the south yesterday by defeating the University of North Carolina 6 to 0.

At San Francisco—Stanford university, 6; University of California, 6.

At Rochester—Hamilton college, 13; University of Rochester, 0.

At Lancaster, Pa.—Franklin and Marshall, 48; Swarthmore, 0.

At Kansas City—Missouri university, 10; Kansas university, 6.

At Chicago—University of Michigan, 12; University of Chicago, 0.

At New Haven—Yale freshmen, 16; Princeton freshmen, 6.

At Cleveland—Pennsylvania State college, 8; Adelbert, 8.

At Columbus, O.—Ohio 'varsity, 12; Kenyon college, 10.

At Boston—Boston university, 22; Boston college, 0.

At Louisville—Louisville A. C., 19; Depauw, 10.

At Baltimore—Lehigh, 10; Baltimore A. C., 0.

At New York—Indian school, 16; Y. M. C. A., 4.

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OUR NAVY.

Conclusions Arrived at by Professor Hollis, Ex-Chief Engineer.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29.—Professor Ira N. Hollis of Harvard university, and formerly chief engineer of the United States navy, was seen last night in regard to his statements relative to the present condition of the navy. He said:

"To say that the present condition of the navy is a disgrace to this country is a pretty sweeping remark for a man to make. What I mean is that judging from the navy reports I consider certain things in the department a disgrace to the navy. Secretary Herbert is making a plea for the half of the navy that does not need it, really the men of the line, while the engineer corps, which needs building up, are neglected.

"Just look in Chief Engineer Melville's reports. They have constantly been reducing the engineer service. Just after the war we had ships that cost $250,000, with $75,000 worth of machinery. Now we have ships costing $3,000,000, and the machinery costing $1,000,000, and yet the engineer corps, instead of having been increased, has been reduced. As the engineer's reports show, over and over again, the corps is inadequate in numbers. Several years ago a slight collision occurred (the Baltimore), which was directly traceable to lack of sufficient engineer officers.

"From my own personal experience, and I was 19 years in the service, I can corroborate the testimony of the engineer-in-chief. The navy is now run by a clique of the men of the line in Washington. I and many others have felt called upon to resign on account of the way the engineer corps were treated. I deeply regret the condition in which the navy appears to be today, but I honestly think that in case of war we would find ourselves next to useless on the water."

Perryman Out.

EUFAULA, I. T., Nov. 29.—The long-drawn-out impeachment proceedings against L. C. Perryman, the retiring chief of the Creek nation, terminated in his conviction of maladministration in office. The only penalty is incapacity for holding office.

Brazil's Loss.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 29.—The Brazilian cruiser Uranus has been wrecked, the commander and five of the crew being drowned.

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